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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Avalanche Office, in Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.
Apperson & Co., E. M., cotton factors and commission merchants, 238½ Front and 6 Jefferson streets.
Attwood & Anderson, commission and forwarding merchants, foot of Jefferson street.
Astor Fire Insurance Company, of New York, office corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Black, Estes & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Cooper Block, Monroe street.
Bandli & Co., Jo., wholesale whisky and flour dealers, Bradley Block, near Adams street.
Bresloch & Co., booksellers and stationers, 315 Main street.
Beckly, F., manufacturer of gentlemen's boots and shoes, 341 Main street.
Beers & Co., James T., steamboat agents, 11 Jefferson street.
Cash, J. H., cotton and produce factor, 126 Front street.
Carolina Insurance Company, of Memphis, Tenn., office 224 Main street.
Commercial Hotel, D. Bryson, proprietor, corner Front and Jefferson streets.
Craig & Co., R. G., seed store, 279 Main street, in the Jackson Block.
Cubbins, Gunn & Coover, planing mill and lumber yard, 161, 163 and 165 Washington street.
Connell & Eakin, cotton gin and pickery, foot of Market street.
Cash, J. H., cotton and produce factor, 126 Front street.
Cubbins & Gunn, iron founders and machinists, Adams street, near Bayou.
Continental Insurance Company, of New York, office corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Cunningham, Wicks & Malone, cotton factors and commission merchants, Lee Block, Union street.
Cayce & Co., M. C., general auctioneers, 365 Main street.
Christian & Co., J. A., storage for cotton and merchandise Navy Yard.
Davis, A. F., practical house and sign painter, 30 Union street.
Dougherty, Wm., marble works and marble mantel warerooms, 56 Front street, above Market.
DeSoto Bank of Memphis, 20 Madison street.
Dickinson & Bro., J. W., cotton factors and commission merchants, 210 Front street.
Dolfinger & Co., J., china, glass and queensware, 44 North Court street.
European Assurance Society, office 279 Main street.
Emmet Savings Institution, 8 Madison street.
Fowlkes & Steffey, cotton factors and commission merchants, 193 Second street and 43 Washington.
Finnie, Buckham & Chapman, groceries and family supplies, 300 Main street.
Fitzgerald & Co., H., grocers, produce dealers and commission merchants, 374 Front street.
Forster, Kealhofer & Co., grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 209 Main street.
Franklin Insurance and Banking Company, corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Green & Co., N. S., dealers in whisky, etc., 252 Front street.
Guy, Alden, McCrea & Co., wholesale grocers and cotton factors, 208 Front street.
Hernando Insurance Company, No. 17 Madison street.
Harmstad, Larry, steamboat Agent, No. 14 Jefferson street.
Hill, Strange & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 14 Monroe street.
Hill & Co., John C., cotton and storage warehouse, Court street, near Bayou.
Hunter, Mrs. M. C., millinery establishment, 269 Main street.
Haller, Fisher & Co., grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 40 Madison street.
Jones, Brown & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 286 Front street.
Jones & Co., G. W., wholesale and retail druggists, 287 Main street.
Jones & Co., J. W. A., cotton factors and general commission merchants, 262 Front street, up stairs.
Johnson & Co., W. J., steamboat agents, Star Wharfboat, foot of Jefferson street.
Kenny & Porter, real estate brokers and general agents, No. 2 Kit Williams Block, corner of Madison and Second.
Keller, Dr. J. M., office Jefferson street, Avalanche Editorial Rooms. Residence at General Hospital.
Kremer, L., millinery, etc., Main street, near Jefferson.
Kennedy, Williams & Russell, cotton factors and commission merchants, 268 Front street.
Knickerbocker Life Insurance Company, of New York, office corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Lamb & Co., R. W., cotton and storage warehouse, Adams street, near Bayou.
Lacey & McGhee, cotton factors and commission merchants, 252 Front street.
Lane & Co., F., cotton factors and commission merchants, corner of Union and Front streets.
Levett & Co., Joseph S., boot and shoe dealers, corner of Main and Union streets.
Lawrence & Carter, general commission and forwarding merchants, 238 Front street.
Levy & Co., A. S., auctioneers, Second street, between Union and Gayoso.
Linkauer & Brother, agents, boot and shoemakers, 281½ Second street.
Levy and Miller, general steamboat agents and forwarders, 1 Madison street.
Lowenstein, B., staple and fancy dry goods, 242 Main street.
Lowenstein & Brothers, J. H., wholesale and retail dry goods, 242 Main street.
Memphis and Charleston Railroad, Ticket office, Bethel Block, southeast corner Court and Main streets.
Maydwell & Anderson, marble works, 60 Union street.
Moore, Whitfield & Co., cotton factors, storage and general commission merchants, No. 1 Howard's Row.
Merchants' National Bank, No. 4 Jefferson street.
Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, office No. 6 Jefferson street, under Commercial Hotel.
Mosby & Dorion, commission merchants, 304 Front street.
McKee & Walker, attorneys at law, Bethel Block.
McCombs & Co., sole agents Eagle Cotton Gins, 322½ and 324 Main street.
McGibben & Bro., liquor dealers, 281 Main street.
Mastin & Donegan, cotton factors, commission and forwarding merchants, 13 Union street.
Maydwell & Anderson, marble works, No. 60 Union street, between Second and Third.
Murray & Ridgely, merchant tailor, No. 31 Madison street, Memphis, Tenn.
Miles & Stoddard, auctioneers, 371 Main street.
Menken Brothers, staple and fancy dry goods, 242 Main street.
Memphis and Charleston Railroad Office, corner Main and South Court streets.
Mhoon & Co., cotton factors and general commission merchants, 11 Monroe street.
Mitchell, W. Z., dealer in books and stationery, 24 Jefferson street.
Moon, Robert A., cotton factor and commission merchant, 276 Front street.
Mansfield & Higbee, wholesale druggists, 341 and 343 Main street.
Mulford, Clements & Co., storage for cotton and merchandise generally, Poplar street, near river.
Memphis and Charleston Railroad, office 278 Main street, corner of Court.
Memphis and Ohio Railroad, office 297½ Main street.
Miller & Leidy, hatters, 289 Main street.
Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company, Flem Calvert, superintendent.
Mack Brothers & Bohm, wholesale and retail dry goods, 261 Main street.
New Memphis Theater, W. C. Thompson, manager, Jefferson street, below Third.
Nelly & Co., J. C., cotton factors and commission merchants, 280 Front street.
Nieges & Reakirt, wholesale and retail druggists, 318 Main street.
Nolan & Lindsay, house and sign painters, glaziers, etc., 57 Jefferson street.
Nathan, Henry, importer and wholesale dealer in wines, liquors, cigars, etc., 23 Jefferson street.
North America Life Insurance Company, of New York John B. Smith, general agent, 286 Front street.
Partee, McGehee & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Cooper Block, Monroe street.
Power & McGhee, merchant tailors, 238 Second street.
People's Bank of Tennessee, 12 Madison street.
People's Insurance Company, W. B. Greenlaw, President, 20 Madison street.
Passmore & Co., W. H., General Auctioneers, Vincent Block, Second street.
Perkins, Livingston & Post, cotton gins, presses and plantation machinery, 330 Main street, Memphis, Tenn.
Patrick & Co., J. M., cotton factors, 254 Front street.
Postoffice, corner of Third and Jefferson streets.
Planters' Insurance Company of Tennessee, 271 Front street.
Price & Treadwell, wholesale grocers, Lee Block, Union street.
Rawlings & Co., J. J., cotton factors and commission merchants, 254 Front street.
Robertson & Carter, cotton factors and commission merchants, 13 Union street.
Robinson & Co., Wm. A., founders and machinists, opposite Gayoso House.
Robeson, Saced & Co., wholesale clothing, 305 Main street.
Rollin, Finney & Co., cotton factors, 13 Union street.
Robbins, E., & Bradley, hardware merchants, 228 Second street, Adams Block, Memphis, Tenn.
Royster, Trezevant & Co., Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers, Ayres Block, Second street.
Stewart, W. L., cotton and commission merchant, 2 Bank alley.
Schabel & Co., J. F., stove dealers, 267 Main street.
Stone, Horace, wholesale boots and shoes, 233 Main street.
Sullivan, Mrs. Sallie, millinery goods, 257 Main street, over Seessel's.
Seessel & Son, A., wholesale and retail dry goods, 259 Main street.
Sample, Mitchell & McCauley, cotton factors and commission merchants, 13 Union street.
Stanley, King & Smith, cotton factors and commission merchants, 272 Front street, up stairs.
St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Olis, agents; office, 42 Madison street.
Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, 343 Second street.
Sprowle & McCown, wholesale and retail clothing 282 Main street.
Swanwick & Co., W. T., lumber dealers, foot of Adams street.
Smith, Owen, undertaker, 368 northeast corner Gayoso and Second.
Toof, S. C., Book and Job Printer, No. 15 West Court street.
Taylor, Cole & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 11 Monroe street.
Toof, Phillips & Co., cotton factors, grocers and commission merchants, 266 Front street.
Tennessee State Mutual Insurance Company, of Memphis, office 15 Madison street.
Titus & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 10 Jefferson street.
Tennessee Savings Institution, corner of Court and Main streets.
Tobin, Lynn & Co., cotton factors and grocers, 346 Main street.
Vinson & Donahoe, steamboat agents, 254 Front street, up stairs.
Vercer & Hatchett, cotton factors and commission merchants, 230 Front street.
Van Brocklin, auctioneer, 18 Madison street.
Van Vleet, George W., agent Missouri State Lottery, 20 Jefferson street.
Waggener & Co., J. H., merchant tailors and dealers in ready-made clothing, 294 Main street.
Watson & Co., J. B., wholesale and retail druggists, 313 Main street.
Webb, S. M., & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Lee Block, Union street.
Wareham, Ed., news depot, 22 Jefferson street, Avalanche Building.
Worsham House, corner Main and Adams streets. C. B. Galloway, proprietor.
White, Kerr & Reeves, cotton factors, general commission and forwarding merchants, 264 Main street.
Wormeley, Joy & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Adams street, below Main.
Williams, J. D., wholesale clothing, 278 Main street.
Williamson, Hill & Co., wholesale grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 229 Front street.
Walt & Co., Martin, wholesale grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 272 Front street.

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John Stuart Mill is expected to pay a visit to this country soon.

Secretary Welles is recovering his health, and will be out in a few days.

General Schofield is said to be of the opinion that the convention business in Virginia will prove a complete failure.

Mrs. Jeff. Davis, going through Rutland, Vermont, the other day, was serenaded with "Dixie's" tune.

Admiral Farragut has discovered a relative in Paris, in the person of Don Louis Farragut, an old Spanish Hidalgo.

The Washington Chronicle announces the melancholy intelligence that Hon. Reverdy Johnson has entirely lost his sight.

Mrs. Francis D. Gage has been trying the Swedish movement cure for paralysis, and is nearly recovered.

The statements about the defalcation of Mr. Forney are purely malicious. His accounts proved all right.

General Grant has the case of Colonel Belger under consideration, and will no doubt have him restored to his place in the army.

The Georgia papers publish the list of delegates elected in the late election to the Convention. About one in five are black.

Judge Black will be the associate with Merrick as counsel for Surratt, but it is hardly probable that Surratt will be tried again.

General Mahone has been elected President of the Virginia and Tennessee railroad. He is said to be one of the best railroad officers in the South.

Prince Humbert, of Italy, whose betrothed was recently burned to death, is said to have formally proposed for the hand of the Princess Sophia, of Austria.

Hon. Charles W. Russell, during the war a member of the Confederate Congress from Wheeling, is lying extremely ill at his residence in Baltimore, of disease of the liver.

The election on the convention question in Florida passed off quietly, but few of the whites voting. The State will go in favor of a convention by a large majority.

The New Orleans police have discovered that a large amount of bogus coin has been received in that city to be passed upon ignorant negroes.

Mrs. Lewis, of Ohio, prepared her husband's dinner with strychnine; an unexpected visitor ate it, and the result was very unsatisfactory to all but Mr. Lewis.

The Government has been swindled to the extent of one hundred millions of dollars on the whisky tax alone during the past year. In the same period twenty-five millions have been lost on tobacco.

Something of an effort is proposed by the Northwestern Representatives to induce the Senate to go into an election of a clerk of that body, with a view of electing one from the West in place of Colonel Forney.

The New York *Day Book* says: "Shanks, a mongrel member of Congress from Indiana, has been lecturing to the negroes in Richmond. That is right and proper—*Shanks* addressing *shins*."

General Ord has removed Captain Wm. F. Gibson, the Clerk of the Circuit and Probate Courts of Arkansas county, and appointed Edward R. Wiley in his place. Mr. Wiley took possession of the office on Saturday last.

Robert H. Pomeroy, late cashier of the Mohawk Valley national bank, Utica, New York, committed suicide Saturday morning. The act is said to have been committed on account of the alleged defalcation from the bank.

The majority against female suffrage in Kansas is 8,455, out of a total vote of 18,541. The majority against negro suffrage is 7,568. The majority for the disfranchisement of disloyal persons is 654. The Legislature is largely Republican.

The report in circulation that General Lytle, sheriff elect of Philadelphia, was dying from the effects of injuries received two weeks ago by being thrown from a carriage, is incorrect. He is still suffering from the accident, but his life is not in danger.

Thad. Stevens has been making inquiries about ex-Governor Jack Hamilton, of Texas. He says Jack borrowed five hundred dollars from him under false pretenses, and if he don't pay it, he will disgrace him when he meets him.

Assassinations have been arrested suddenly in Utah by a telegram from General Sherman to Brigham Young. He notifies that potentate he will hold him responsible should any murders occur hereafter similar to that of Dr. Robertson. These horrible murders are believed to have been instigated by Young.

The Alabama Convention adopted a resolution favoring the passage of an ordinance giving freedmen a fair equivalent for their services, from persons who held them in slavery after January, 1863. An ordinance declaring all debts contracted prior to 1861, except those occurring from the sale of slaves, recoverable, was also offered.

R. M. Hoagland, of the Revenue department for Kentucky, has been suspended for insubordination and unreliability. It is said by his superior officers that, while in St. Louis, he represented that he had a roving commission to do what he pleased, and this being reported to the Department, he has ceased to act in an official capacity.

The *North American Review's* thesis on the effect of "Marriage upon Literature," is creating a profound revulsion in favor of celibacy among our ambitious literary young men. The question is, "which shall be resigned, Muse or Matilda Jane?" inasmuch as the above mentioned article seems to infer that marriage is not favorable to literary success. This idea is as foolish as that which some idiot started not long since, that we were all killing ourselves by hard work. It isn't work, but worry that kills men. So it is not marriage that mars young men.

Incidentally referring to Garibaldi, in a recent communication published in the Cincinnati *Gazette*, Archbishop Purcell remarks: "Had the infidel buccaneer of both hemispheres succeeded, he would have, like a hyena, broken into the tombs of the holy Apostles, and scattered their sacred ashes to the winds; he would have plundered churches, and profaned the Tabernacles of the Holy Eucharist, and filled the Eternal City with ruins. Under such circumstances, I say openly, and you may make whatever use you please of the admission, the death of the miscreant would have been a duty and a benefit."

Seymour Voullaire, an eminent lawyer of St. Louis, formerly Circuit Attorney, was shot on the street about eleven o'clock Saturday night, and it is thought fatally wounded, by a postoffice clerk named Ruth. Voullaire's wife recently procured a divorce. Ruth was her chief witness. A few days ago Voullaire learned that Ruth had engaged to take his former wife to DeBar's theater to see Edwin Booth Friday night. He went to the postoffice, abused Ruth and dared him to fight, and threatened to shoot him on the street at sight. Saturday night he waited for them on the street corner, in a lonely place, as they returned from the theater, and as they came up drew his revolver, Ruth drawing at the same time. Ruth fired, the ball passing into Voullaire's chest and lodging against the shoulder blade. Ruth says Voullaire fired too, but without effect. Ruth gave himself up and was admitted to bail. The affair excites much interest. Voullaire is a cripple. So says a special to the Cincinnati *Commercial*.

Mrs. Anna Cora Ritchie has peremptorily declined to appear again on the stage. She has refused an offer of $30,000, and is now in England engaged in literary labors, which are more congenial to her taste.

When John Jacob Astor determined upon identifying his name with a fine hotel, he went to his friend Costar to buy his residence at the corner of Broadway and Barclay streets. Mr. Costar, being rich, declined to sell. Mr. Astor finally made a proposition to him that each should name a friend and the two friends should name a third; the three were to estimate the value of the property, and when the price was named Mr. Astor agreed to add $20,000 to their highest valuation, and give Mr. Costar a check for the entire sum. The proposition pleased Mr. Costar, and he acceded to the terms, and thus Mr. Astor secured the entire plot of ground necessary to the erection of the immense building. The Astor House was completed in April, 1836, and was thrown open to the public on the first day of the following June.

"Mack" says that among others who have given vent to their feelings about that letter is General Grant, who earnestly protests that he never talked "horse" to Ben. Wade in his life. In conversation on the subject with a friend, a few days since, he said he didn't remember having ever met old Ben. to talk to him, except once, and that was at one of the Speaker's receptions last winter. An allusion having been made to West Point, old Ben. said it was a nest of d—d traitors. "This," said the General, "vexed me a little. I told him it wasn't so; that while it was true that a good many West Pointers had joined the rebel cause, it was also true that the proportion was much smaller than had been turned out of the cradle in which he (Wade) had been rocked—meaning the Capitol. I showed him that every Southern man in Congress, with one or two exception, joined the rebellion, while less than half the Southern West Pointers did so. I didn't talk a word of horse to him from beginning to end."

GREENBACKS.

Thad. Stevens on National Finances.

Payment of the National Debt and National Banks.

Mr. Stevens has favored the public with another letter on subjects of National importance. It is a loose, rambling, incoherent production, but is characterized by great distinctness of statement upon certain points. After reading it, no one can be in doubt as to what Mr. Stevens thinks concerning the financial policy of the Government for the last six years, the power of the Government over the subject of money, the National banks, protective tariffs and the profits made by the purchasers of United States bonds.

Mr. Stevens states that the "financial condition of the Republic never can be in doubt or peril," and there never will be a time when "with honest dealing" the Republic "will be unable to pay her just liabilities." As to the financial policy of the Government, he says: "I have not approved and do not now approve of the financial policy pursued by our Government for the past six years. I think we have thrown away our billions, and are still throwing away our millions by mismanagement."

Preliminary to his discussion of the right of the Government to pay its debts in greenbacks, he states broadly his views of the power of the Government over the subject of "money," and to declare what should be the money of the country and the value of it. A "paper medium," to carry on business he says, all nations, with any considerable business and commerce, "must and will use," and he adds contemptuously, "none but the Choctaws, Chickasaws and their kindred tribes now doubt or deny this." Under the Constitution he thinks the General Government has exclusive power to establish banks of issue and to declare what should be the money of the country. He regrets that the States engage in banking, and do that which the General Government alone ought to control. As to expansion and contraction, he thinks that they are "in no wise effected by the kind of money that is used. If it be too abundant or too scarce, it is of no consequence whether it be in coin or in paper. A hundred millions too much of gold is just as injurious in inflating prices as a hundred millions too much of greenbacks." Mr. Stevens then announces distinctly that *money* is just what the *law* says it is and shall be, and in connection therewith lays down this proposition:

"When, therefore, you find that the standard of the American dollar is one hundred cents, and you are in the possession of such dollar, you know that you are entitled to just one hundred cents for your money and no more, whether that one hundred cents be made of leather, tin or greenbacks, and its mode of payment pointed out."

He remarks that it is not only "legal" but also "just" to pay one's debts in that money, and that any one "who doubts the proposition may not be a fool," but he has an "excessive folly" which "all the world but himself and his creditors will ridicule." And then, with evident allusion to Greeley and others, who have called such a proposition rascally, he says:

"If you do not like the legislation of your government and the provisions it makes for your welfare and that of all its citizens, choose better men, or go elsewhere for protection; but do not tell us that, when one-half of the community impose laws upon the other half and make them binding, and that other half obey those laws, they are swindlers and villains. The language is neither decorous nor such as gentlemen would use."

Mr. Stevens then with much ardor rejects the dogma that *money means coin*. He says:

"Money! What is money? If it be a fixed, unalterable thing of intrinsic and known value, why does the Constitution put it into the power of a legislative tribunal to create it and reassess it anew? It is all fancy. Money is just what the law makes it, and you must take the chance that your government make it wisely, and when made, fix your eye upon it and make your contract accordingly. I abhor repudiation or clipping the coin; and yet this action has twice, or, I think, three times, by its legislation reduced the price of silver, and made it pass to every creditor as well as debtor at the original price.

"Who are these reasoners, who, with these facts in view, talk so learnedly of the laws of finance and the morality of human dealings?"

All this is preliminary to the discussion of the question of the Government loans, and the right of the Government to pay its debts in the lawful money of the country.

Now let us come to the Government loan, and for a single moment consider it, which, even without the monstrous doctrine of Greeley and Cooke, is the most profitable investment ever made by money lenders, and is a monstrous swindle on Americans, on the part of European capitalists.

Mr. Stevens then enters into an interesting historical statement of the efforts of the Government to raise money at the beginning of the war. Matters were discouraging. Government borrowed without difficulty the first few millions requisite to equip the army and navy, and had no trouble in getting its next loan of two hundred and fifty millions taken by the bankers. After that, the money lenders would not lend except at so ruinous a rate that the Government looked around for other means. Mr. Stevens was at that time Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, and he and his associate, Mr. Spalding, of Buffalo, recommended the issue of notes of the United States and making them "legal tender," receiving them at par for all transactions with the Government. After repeated attempts to purchase loans, and finding it could be done only at ruinous rates of discount, they urged the Secretary of the Treasury to consent to offer a loan and issue therefor United States notes, making them a legal tender. The Secretary refused. The Committee of Ways and Means then consulted again with the money men of the country, and found they could obtain no large loan in coin except at a most ruinous price. They again importuned the Secretary for his consent to issue "legal tender." A majority of the committee agreed to report a bill for the purpose, and after severe opposition it passed the House and was sent to the Senate. In the bill not a word was said about the currency in which the principal or interest was to be paid. Upon this point we let Mr. Stevens speak in his own direct and pungent style:

"No one, I suppose, doubted that the loans of the United States of every description were payable in the money of the United States of every description; but to change that aspect as it regarded a portion of the fund, the New York money changers again made their appearance, Jew and Gentile mingling in sweet communion to discover some cunning invention to make in a day what it would take weeks for honest men to earn. They went directly to the committee of ways and means and asked that the interest should be made payable in coin, leaving the principal as it was. The committee utterly rejected the absurd proposition of two currencies—two legal tenders—in the same empire and for the same commodities. They had once heard of such a transaction in Austrian bonds, which utterly destroyed their credit. The brokers then resorted to the Secretary of the Treasury. He was more easily persuaded, and, it is understood, went with them to the committee of the Senate and pressed the change. The Finance Committee of the Senate agreed to it, and sent it back to the House with that amendment. The House rejected it, and the consequence was a committee of conference, and as some bill was necessary, it resulted in the present law, making the debts of the United States, so far as regarded their interest, payable in a different kind of currency from the debt itself. One of the House committee proposed then, in order to raise a sum sufficient for that purpose, that the duties on imports should be paid in coin. That proposition prevailed, and the result was and is that the interest on the national loans and the duties on importations are paid in one kind of money called legal tender, and the principal in another kind of money called legal tender, but made of a different material and of a different shape. Thus, as any one can see, the Congress declared that while she created two kinds of money she had made them of unequal value and for different purposes."

Mr. Stevens thinks that for two years greenbacks were the "most popular currency ever used in the United States," and that if the Government, by its folly, had not allowed another kind of legal tender—coin—everything would have been well. But the system of finance adopted, he thinks that "no human folly had ever before witnessed." By it, all articles necessary to supply the war were vastly increased in price, "while the honest Jews of the gold rooms, Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego, came out unsinged." Mr. Stevens then cites two facts. He says a colleague of his asked him whether the loan of '81 would be paid in coin or currency. Mr. S. replied, that by the terms of the law it might be paid in either. His colleague then went and inquired of the Secretary of the Treasury who said the loan would be paid in coin. That colleague invested $20,000 in legal tenders, receiving therefor $20,000 in greenbacks. A constituent of his, before the passage of the legal tender act, guaranteed to a gentleman in Pennsylvania a judgment for $20,000 expressly payable in gold. The creditor demanded the money, and greenbacks were tendered in payment. The creditor refused to take it, gold being worth two or three times as much. The creditor sued, and the Court compelled him to take the lawful money of the United States which had been offered him. Mr. Stevens declines saying whether this "transaction was a moral or immoral one." But he very plainly intimates that he thinks the Government, in using the money of the people, may act on the same principle, payment in the money of the country being lawful payment. That the principal of the five-twenties is not payable in coin he expressly states in the following passage:

"It is but just to Mr. McCulloch here to say that he does not pretend that the principal of the five-twenties (as his late letter shows) is payable in coin, as the bonds are silent upon that subject, and as that conclusion is excluded by that very silence. It is just, also, to the Democratic party to say that when the question has been discussed in the House no lawyer among them has set up such a foolish pretension; and when the bill was on its final passage the question was expressly asked of the Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means, and as expressly answered by him, that only the interest was payable in coin. But every instrument speaks for itself, and when it is silent upon the subject of the currency, it is always made payable in money, which means the legal tender of the country. I fear, however, I am elaborating this point *ad nauseam*, unless a newspaper editor or a country broker can enact laws and afterward enforce them. There is nothing short of the sheerest folly in this argument, and it will not be persevered in by those who have sufficient strength to carry them genteelly over the 'asses' bridge.' Nay, more; I fear that what I am going to state may set New York editors and brokers upon a dangerous rampage amid the flowery fields and golden images of Chiriqui and Golfonto; and yet I shall venture to say that if the United States choose to be faithless enough she could tender and pay not only the principal but the interest in legal tenders, although the latter is expressly contracted to be paid in coin. The law of legal tender means this or means nothing. Let not this alarm any one, for no nation short of the basest Asiatics would ever think of such an act, however capitalists might ask trustees, guardians and administrators to violate the law and their sworn oaths to double the revenue which the public debtors are to pay them."

Mr. Stevens estimates that the government, by paying its debts in greenbacks, would save the vast sum of $1,642,500,000. Here is his calculation:

"Take $100,000, and suppose the legal tenders to be worth at all times at least half as much as coin for all articles which the Government may need, which no man can doubt, convert or use it daily for a year at that rate, and you have a difference of $36,500,000 in favor of greenbacks. But the business of the Government during the war amounted to more than $1,500,000 per day, I presume. For one year it would amount to $547,540,000, and during the war, upon an average of three years, it would amount to $1,642,500,000; and this vast sum would also be the amount in favor of greenbacks, for the same length of time, rate of expenditure and at the above difference in price."

He then rambles off into a discussion of English free trade, the Navigation act, protection, the Free Trade treaty with France, and the doctrine of export duties. He desires the Constitution to be amended so that export duties may be laid upon certain articles, cotton for example. He thinks the Government might realize a revenue of over sixty millions per annum from an export duty on cotton. He avers that the world must have American cotton; that no other cotton can supply its place, and that it will pay the export duty; that this duty will not check the exportation of a pound. The export duty, he thinks, might be made equal to one-half the present native price of cotton, and exportation go on unchecked. But put it at five cents, and that, he thinks, would be equivalent to a protection to American cotton manufacturers of ten cents per yard, and give to the manufacturers a monopoly of the cotton markets of the world. At three cents export duty, rating our exports at 2,002,482,930 pounds, the revenue would exceed $60,000,000.

After this episode and divergence from his main subject, he comes back to the national debt question and says:

"Various methods are suggested to redeem the five-twenties in currency. One very able writer suggests a loan in greenbacks to their amount, so that afterwards the greenbacks may be redeemed with the others. If we are satisfied that there is not more than a sufficient currency to do the business of the country together with its probable increase, then that would be the proper method, without inflating prices as a counterbalance to the saving. But if it is believed that the present and prospective business of the country would fairly absorb an amount large enough to redeem these bonds as they become due, and not injuriously increase the business, then the true way would be for the Government to issue legal tenders equal to the amount to be redeemed, and thus save the interest both of the old and a new loan. Indeed, but a small portion might be issued monthly, say $4,000,000, so as to imperceptibly affect the currency."

The contraction of the currency four millions per month he deems an unwise policy, occasioning injury to business operations. He pays his respects to the National Banks, and thinks "their establishment has been a palpable injury to the country." He argues that they have been of no benefit, and that the Government is in fact paying them $18,000,000 per annum, which might as well be saved by redeeming all the bonds whose principal is payable in money and interest in coin. Mr. Stevens thinks that if the bills he introduced to borrow sufficient money, in greenbacks, to redeem the five-twenties as they fell due, had passed, the amount saved to the nation would have been $737,645,719. He says upon this:

"Had the bill prevailed at the time, with leave to borrow the money and make the tender, the probability is a half billion more might have been saved, making ten or twelve hundred millions. But tender consciences have compelled the nation to pay this sum in addition to her legal debt, because Mr. Jay Cooke and the *Tribune* had pledged their word that it should be paid. I have no objection to their paying it, but I dislike to take the balance left me by the rebels to pay my part, unless the law requires that my trustees should do it."

As to the foreign bond holders and the bonds purchased by them he says:

"At the time they were bought gold was 281, or rather greenbacks were at that discount by the arrangement of the market. Gold was made to purchase greenbacks at the rate of about 280 to a dollar. But suppose them to have sold at that time for forty per cent.—which was the highest, I think, they commanded—what was the operation? The purchaser paid to-day $400 in gold for $1,000, and next Monday, quarter day, received the interest on $1,000 in gold, and so ever since; and now claims that when the principal falls due in a year or two it shall be paid in coin. This is what they call honor, conscience, justice, through the custom of the country, and tell the farmers of America that they were bound to pay the money dealers of Europe this enormous rate to save their property from destruction, and the moral men of New York denounce you and me and others as dishonorable robbers and swindlers if we do not in forty years quadruple the capital of the Rothschilds, Goldsmiths and other large money dealers. I must beg leave to judge for myself of this monstrous proposition, and to see whether I am bound to pay any more than he demands who, with pistol at my breast, commands me to stand and deliver.

"I do not blame the European and American holders, at whatever price the loan was fairly obtained; but I scorn the denunciation which would drive me to pay such enormous rates, most probably to those who never advanced the money, and which I was never legally bound to pay."

We think it will be difficult for the Radicals, after this, to find fault with certain Democrats who have advocated doctrines kindred to the foregoing, urged by the "great commoner," the head and front of the Radical party. General Butler, an other leading Radical, and one, too, named among candidates for the Presidency, has elaborately defended these views. In fact the doctrines are not of Democratic origin. Long before Mr. Pendleton or any Democratic paper advocated the payment of the national securities in greenbacks as they fall due, Mr. Stevens distinctly announced the right and equity of such payment. In June, 1864, in his place in the House, he enunciated his views upon the subject, and rather scornfully intimated that "no lawyer" would pretend that under the law the principal of the bonds was payable in anything else but greenbacks. That currency he contended was money, and as the law provided that the principal should be paid in "money," he maintained that they were payable in greenbacks, which by law was the legal tender of the nation. The interest was to be paid in coin, he said, because the law expressly said so.

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HOUSE FOR RENT—A two story FRAME DWELLING, containing ten rooms, splendid Cistern, outhouses, etc., northeast corner of Hill and Alabama streets. Inquire on the premises, or of S. H. STOUT & BROTHER, No. 227 Second street. Furniture for sale. no16

STORE FOR RENT—A LARGE TWO STORY BRICK STORE, with capacious cellar No. 5 Adams street, between Worsham House and Front Row. Terms to suit the times. Apply to
no15 W. MESSICK, No. 317 Second street.

FOR RENT—A GROCERY STORE, at the intersection of Poplar and Alabama streets. A number one stand. Can command a large country trade. Inquire on the premises, 300 Alabama street. no15

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

FOR SALE—Two fine Brunswick BILLIARD TABLES complete and in good order. Have been used but not injured. Will sell cheap. Apply to
E. W. WICKERSHAM,
Southeast Corner of Jefferson and Third streets,
no14 Memphis, Tenn.

FOR SALE—One twelve horse power STATIONARY ENGINE and boiler—nearly new.
LUNN & MALLON,
No. 294 Main street.

SPECIAL NOTICES, ETC.

NOTICE! NOTICE!—No. 19 Poplar street, opposite Overton Hotel, for rent—Bar, Restaurant and six large rooms. Fine opportunity. Terms low. Privilege for years. Fixtures for sale. Inquire of J. B. WOODWARD, 310 Second street. no9

NOTICE—The ST. CHARLES HOTEL, New Orleans, La., during the summer, has been thoroughly renovated additions made to the furniture, and on the first of November the restaurant will be abandoned and the Table d'Hote readopted. I will take this opportunity to thank the patrons of the Hotel for past favors and reassure them and the public that it will be kept in a manner to meet their approval.
oc7 O. E. HALL.

THE Bending Tool and House of Mercy—Howard Association Reports for young men, on the crime of solitude and the errors, abuses and diseases which destroy the manly powers, and create impediments to marriage, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia. se28

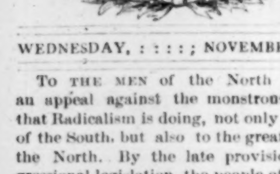
NOTICE—At the November term of the County Court of Shelby county I will apply for letters of administration on the estate of John McDavid, deceased.
oc29 MICHAEL O'BRIEN.

NOTICE—In County Court of Shelby county—To the Heirs and Creditors of J. B. McNichol, deceased—John C. Joplin will apply for letters of administration on the estate of J. B. McNichol, at the December term, 1867, of said Court. no12

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR MAYOR—WM. H. FITCH, Jr., is a candidate for the office of Mayor at the ensuing Municipal election. no19

FOR TAX COLLECTOR—We are authorized to announce J. H. BOWEN as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Tax Collector, at the ensuing election in January next. oc23



WEDNESDAY, : : : : ; NOVEMBER 19, 1867.

TO THE MEN of the North we make an appeal against the monstrous injustice that Radicalism is doing, not only the people of the South, but also to the great masses of the North. By the late provisions of Congressional legislation, the people of the South have been disfranchised. An irresponsible and illegal class of voters has decided in the late elections for conventions in every Southern State and announced measures whose object is the total destruction of every right and principle of justice. Assuming their position to be one of undisputed license and sustained by the military power of the Union, they pronounced for the most radical policy of confiscation and expatriation, and foreshadow measures whose results will be most destructive to the political objects of the great Northern Conservative party and ruinous to every personal interest of the Southern people. And we as a mass are powerless to prevent the consummation of their designs. Therefore, our only hope is in the men of the North. You have pronounced against negro equality and Radical illegitimacy in the tremendous majorities of the late elections! You have rejected the negro as a social and political equal! You have written in burning characters, that tell to the world your repudiation of the hideous doctrines of an accursed and anarchical party! Having done these things, we exhibit to you what remains to be done, and for the cause of humanity, justice and decency, we invoke your moral and physical power in overthrowing the men and people who cast in your teeth the indignity of Southern negro equality. In the North, negroes are not the equals of white people. In the South, Radical legislation has decided they are, and that accursed party now oppose this element as votes against you men of the North. Having decided on the enfranchisement of the negro in the South, the Radicals use their votes as an offset against you. White voters in the North, Democrats, will you submit to this imposition and cheat? Will you allow the Radical negro vote of the South to defeat you in the next Presidential election? Will you not arise in the majesty of your power, and say by your moral and physical strength, that you will not submit to the illegal and infamous representation of the South, either in Congress or in the executive chamber? As well might you submit to votes polled by mules or monkeys, as those which are polled by the negroes, who are controlled and managed by a class of men, whose social status is not equal to that of a yellow cur dog, whose mentality has been perverted until they are the lowest in the scale of humanity, and their persons have become as odious as skunks.

Look to the South, and you who went with me through that land can best say if they, too, have not been fearfully punished. Mourning in every household; desolation written in hard characters across the whole face of their country; cities in ashes, and fields lain waste; their commerce gone; their system of labor annihilated and destroyed; ruin, poverty and distress everywhere, and now pestilence adding the cap sheaf to their stock of misery, her proud men begging for pardon, and appealing for permission to raise food for their children; her four millions of slaves *free*, and their value lost to their former masters forever.

How any Southern gentleman, with these facts, plain and palpable everywhere, staring him in the face and recorded forever in the book of history, can still boast of his "lost cause," or speak of it in language other than that of shame and sorrow, passes my understanding; and instead of being revived, I know that their lost cause will sink deeper and deeper into infamy as time more keenly probes its hidden mysteries and reveals them to the light of day. [Loud applause.]—*Sherman's Speech in St. Louis.*

That the above enunciation could proceed from the befogged brain of any other than a lunatic, it is impossible for us to believe. No other than a blinded and demented individual could conceive or utter such a heartless and infamous assertion. No man who has the smallest appreciation of honor or patriotism in his composition, would imagine, much less assert, the vile sentiments contained in the above paragraph. Who that was a brave man during the late war, who that gave up everything but courage and honor to make victory perch on the banners of the South, and make the lost cause a reality and power on the earth, can possibly forget the sufferings they underwent and the pride they retain in the consciousness of having done right in fighting to the bitter end against the overwhelming cohorts led by SHERMAN? Now we have nothing but the legends and traditions of a stricken South. No flaming history tells, on illuminated pages, the heroic deeds of Southern valor. Eloquent authors fear to record the truth, and even the ungenerous foemen, who fought so bravely and desperately, fail to do us honorable and soldierly justice. But despite the assertions of a SHERMAN, and the contemptuousness of his threats and sneers, we must always continue to cherish the bright memories of our brave struggle for freedom from the domination of heartless enemies, and we will ever continue to foster a spirit that retains an ever burning pride in the glorious yet sad history of our lost cause, and hatred to the so-called light of that cursed Puritanism that blanches all virtue and good.

WE are informed by ED. A. BEECHER, Esq., one of the counsel for Mr. APPERSON, that the Supreme Court at its present session, reversed the judgment of the Law Court of this city in the case of the Union Bank *vs.* E. M. APPERSON *et al.*, upon principles conclusively settling the rights of the parties. The question involved in the case was the liability of indorsers upon paper held by the bank at the time of the removal of its assets South, just prior to the occupation of Memphis by the Federal army, and which had not then matured, and the paper protested after the close of the war. The Supreme Court held the indorsers were not liable. This decision is of great importance to our citizens. And the question settled will apply to many of the other old banks of the State that removed their assets South on the approach of the Federal army.

ON our outside to-day we publish from the St. Louis *Republican* a compilation of THAD. STEVENS' views on various subjects. The most important are those concerning the present and prospective financial condition of the United States. His expressions concerning the National banks are especially notable; in that he is peculiarly in harmony with the views pronounced by PENDLETON and other prominent leaders of the Democratic party. The Radical organs in the North are flouting these ideas, and attribute their utterance by STEVENS as the ravings of an old dotard, but their attacks on him do not have any effect in destroying the wonderful control this Radical leader has over his partizans. As these expressions indicate the policy of the Radical party, and will doubtless be made a plank in the platform of the next Presidential campaign, this publication will be of much interest to the people.

BY TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

From the Supreme Court at Jackson, Tennessee.

Important and Interesting Decision.

Election Returns from North Carolina.

The New Constitution to be Adopted by the Alabama Convention.

The McCoole-Coburn Fight Arranged.

Rumor of an Intended Retaliation by the Fenians.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, November 19.

A rumor was circulated here yesterday among the Fenians that an attempt would be made to burn the British shipping here, provided the men under sentence at Manchester, for shooting policeman Brett, were executed.

A meeting of the officers of the Irish brigade was held to-night, to arrange the preliminaries for a meeting on Saturday evening of the Irish citizens, for expressing an opinion relative to the rights of adopted citizens traveling abroad.

BOSTON.

BOSTON, November 19.

The steamer Cuba arrived to-night. Collector Russell, James F. Fields and others, boarded the steamer below from the United States tugboat Hamlin, and, upon reaching the wharf, accompanied Mr. Dickens to the Parker house. In accordance with his request, there will be no public demonstration.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, November 19.

The river is on a stand, with three feet three inches in the canal. The weather is clear and cool.

MONTGOMERY.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., November 19.

In the Reconstruction Convention to-day the committee on the militia reported an ordinance for a State volunteer militia force, subject to the orders of the Government. The subject of substituting the minority report on the franchise question for the majority report, was negatived by nineteen to seventy-six. The majority report will be carried. It disfranchises all persons who do not vote on the new Constitution, and binds the voters not to contest negro suffrage hereafter, and not to maltreat any person on account of past or present support of the United States Government or the policy of Congress.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, November 19.

Mike McCoole and Joe Coburn, yesterday, signed the articles of agreement to fight on the 27th of May next, within fifty miles of Cincinnati, for $6,000, and the championship of America.

RALEIGH.

RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA, November 19.

The election to-day passed off quietly. The negroes behaved with the utmost propriety. A strong military and police force was stationed at the polls, and paraded the streets all day. About 1,200 votes were polled, mostly negroes, and with two exceptions, all Radicals. The whites will reserve their votes until to-morrow.

WILMINGTON.

WILMINGTON, N. C., November 19.

The election passed off quietly; about 1,400 votes were polled, nearly all by negroes. The whites will vote to-morrow, and almost unanimously against the Convention.

MOBILE.

MOBILE, November 19.

The steamer Onward, with 1,200 bales of cotton on board, was burned yesterday at Bell's landing, on the Alabama river. No lives were lost.

JACKSON.

Special to the Avalanche.]

JACKSON, TENN., November 19.

The case of Wood vs. Guthrie, has been reversed. The Murdock case is in progress.

New York has two first-class Jewish hotels.

Illinois sportsmen shoot wild ducks with small cannon.

One dozen full blooded Coolies, who have served out their apprenticeship in Cuba, arrived in New Orleans Friday.

A young man whose sister's name was published among the "old maids" in the Troy *Herald*, gave the publishers a severe thrashing.

G. Augustus Sala says an American who can only speak English will make his way on the Continent better than an Englishman who speaks half a dozen languages.

Washington is rapidly filling with members of Congress, not a few of whom are securing permanent accommodations, as if looking to a protracted session.

The Spanish Government has given permission to establish Protestant cemeteries in all the large cities of Spain, and to enlarge those which were already established at Mahon, (Bavaria Islands,) and Carthagena.

Assistant Attorney General Binckley has prepared, and submitted to the President, an opinion in the case of General Fitz John Porter, and the probability is that an order will shortly be issued granting him a new trial.

Some savant, who no doubt thought he was serving a useful purpose, has been investigating the vitality of a rat's tail. Having amputated it, he dried it under an exhausted receiver, and again in an oven for about ten days, he united it to the freshly cut stump of another rat, and at the end of three months, if he is to be believed, beholds it the healthy adopted tail of number two.

Wendell Phillips is out in another letter, urging the Radicals to proceed to the impeachment of President Johnson, and to make void all those acts of his which Congress may declare to have been illegal. Wendell Phillips demands that active prominent Rebels shall not be allowed to escape punishment—that the confiscated lands returned to them under the President's pardon, shall be taken from them again and parcelled out among the negroes, and that the new war cry of the Radicals shall be "Impeachment, Revocation of Pardons and Pre-emption of Surrendered Lands."

The public will do well, says the New York *Times*, to suspend its judgment about the submersion of the Island of Tortola until further advices. Islands of forty-five square miles with ten thousand inhabitants and the usual arrangement of mountains, valleys, etc., are not so easily submerged by hurricanes as this report would imply. A good deal of damage may have been caused, and a good many lives may have been lost, by the flood consequent upon the hurricane; but the catastrophe as reported by telegraph is simply incredible. The next dispatches will probably reduce the loss of life by several thousands and permit the island to reappear on the map.

From a report submitted to the Legislature by S. Watson, Trustee of the Bank of Tennessee, on Friday, it appears there are $804,466 of old issues of the bank. This is about the amount collected since he has had charge of the bank. Deducting this amount from $3,629,106, the amount appearing from the books of the bank to have been issued prior to the 6th of May, 1861, will leave $2,824,640, which is the amount of the old issue outstanding. There is a possibility, says Mr. Watson, that this large amount of the old issue ($804,466) now on hand might be abstracted and put into circulation again. The keeping of it imposes a heavy responsibility upon the Trustee, and he respectfully asks that authority should be given to burn the same from time to time, an accurate record being kept of the amount and denomination of the notes burned.

Further Mississippi Election Returns.

Calhoun County—For Convention, 419; against Convention, 256. Total, 671. Total registered, 1,391, being 25 less than one-half. J. H. Keer, Conservative reconstruction candidate, received 418 votes, and A. T. Roane, Constitutional Union candidate, 253 votes.

Lowndes County—We have a later and fuller report from this county, showing a total vote of 24 whites and 3,909 blacks. Total, 3,933. The total registered is 5,614.

Tishomingo County—The total vote polled is 634, against 3,298 registered.

Panola County—Full returns show the following result: Whites polled, 7; blacks 3,175. Total, 1,558. Registered voters, 3,175—or 29 less than one-half.

Marshall County—The full vote is given in the Holly Springs *Reporter*, as follows: For Convention, 1,434; against Convention, 1,647; total vote, 3,087. For delegates, the Conservative ticket received the following vote, and is therefore elected; J. W. C. Watson, 1,695; Wm. M. Compton, 1,702; Chas. H. Townsend, 1,700. The Gill-Williams Radical ticket received 1,380 votes.

Copiah County—Total votes cast, 1,274; for a Convention, 1,270; against, 4. Total registered, 2,972, so that 212 less than those registered voted. For delegates, E. G. Peyton received 643 votes; Emanuel Handy, 567; G. J. Mortimer, 498; S. P. Harvey, 150; Thos. Sinclair, 72; Jackson Hall, 321. Judge Peyton and Handy, (the latter colored), are elected delegates.

Simpson County—Dr. Gray, one of the registrars of this county, informs us that there were 381 votes cast—249 for and 132 against a Convention: The total registered vote of Simpson is 878—so that 63 less than one half of those registered voted. Charles Chapman, (white Radical,) elected delegate—defeating John C. McLaurin, Conservative.—*Jackson Clarion.*

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The friends and acquaintances of W. R. Lucas and family are requested to attend the funeral of his wife, at St. Lazaro Church, this morning at 11 o'clock.
Carriages at the church.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.

Lessee and Manager..................W. C. THOMPSON
Stage Manager.....................SHIRLEY H. FRANCE
Treasurer..........................C. D. STEINKUHL

Second Week of the Charming LOTTA.

New drama by John Brougham, Esq., played with great success in New York for seven weeks.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, November 20, will be performed LITTLE NELL AND THE MARCHIONESS. Banjo Solo. New Comic Operatic Duet and Dance.

Doors open at a quarter to seven; Curtain rises at half-past seven.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice to Country merchants

AND OTHER WHOLESALE BUYERS OF

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

I WOULD call your SPECIAL attention to the fact, that in addition to my retail stock of Clothing I have JUST RECEIVED A LARGE AND COMPLETE stock, carefully gotten up, EXPRESSLY FOR THE JOBBING TRADE which will be found well adapted to the wants of the country, and which I will sell to MERCHANTS AND WHOLESALE BUYERS upon VERY FAVORABLE TERMS. I would respectfully solicit an examination of my stock by merchants and others visiting the city.

J. D. WILLIAMS,
no19 No. 273 Main street, Memphis, Tenn.

THE DESOTO BANK OF MEMPHIS,

No. 20 Madison Street.

JAMES ELDER, President. W. H. WOOD, Vice President.
T. R. FARNSWORTH, Cashier.

J. C. NEELY, H. M. NEELY

J. C. NEELY & CO.,

(Successors to Puckett & Neely.)

Cotton Factors

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

280 Front Street, Over Brooks, Neely & Co.'s,

MEMPHIS, TENN.

Liberal cash advances made on consignments in store. All shipments to river and in store covered by our open policy of insurance, unless otherwise instructed.

Major R. PUCKETT will remain with us, and give, as heretofore, his undivided attention to the sale of Cotton. se18

We Defy Competiton!

THE crowds which have thronged our store for the past week bear testimony to the fact that we are offering our goods CHEAPER than any other house in the city. To increase our sales and thereby assist us in Reducing our Stock, we have made another

Great Reduction,

Commencing Monday, 18th Instant.

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!

Double width Merinoes, 50 cents per yard.
Jouvin's Kid Gloves, 90 cents per pair.
Ladies' Shoes, $1 per pair.
Ladies' Cambric Handkerchiefs, 10 cents each.
All Wool Nubias, 50 cents each.
Whalebone Corsets, $1 per pair.
Genuine French Corsets, $1 per pair.
Ladies' Cloaks, at half price.
Hoop Skirts, best quality, 75 cents.

Nubias, Breakfast Capes, Shawls and Woolen Goods at prices which are almost

GIVING THEM AWAY.

Ladies' Merino Hose at cost.
Calicoes, fast colors, 10 cents per yard.
Bleached Domestics, 8 cents per yard.

Stand not upon the order of your coming, but come at once and

Secure the Great Bargains we offer

Before they are all sold.

Best Canton Flannel, 21 cents per yard.
All Wool Flannels, 25 cents per yard.
Shaker Flannels, all qualities.
Entirely New Styles Delaines from 10 to 22 cents per yard.

This is NO HUMBUG, but a

Genuine Great Clearing Sale.

THE ENTIRE STOCK MUST BE SOLD REGARDLESS OF COST OR VALUE.

Bear this in mind and call early at

ELSONS' MAMMOTH CHEAP STORE'

297 Main Street no17

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

ON THE 1st DAY OF OCTOBER, 1867

Made to the Controller of the State of Tennessee, pursuant to the Statute of that State.

NAME—North American Fire Insurance Company.
Located at Hartford, Connecticut.

Amount Capital Stock is............$300 000 00
Amount Capital Stock paid up is......300 000 00

ASSETS.

Cash on hand	[illegible]
Cash in Charter Oak National Bank	[illegible]
Cash in hands of Agents and in course of transmission	23,691 88
Bonds owned by the Company	201,782 50
Debts secured by Mortgages on unencumbered Real Estate	4,000 00
Debts otherwise secured	5,545 00
Debts for Premiums	[illegible]
All other securities	91,[illegible] 00
Railroad Stocks	[illegible]
Interest Accrued	[illegible]
All other property of the Company	1,621 00
Total Assets of the Company	[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Due or not due to Banks or other creditors	None.
Losses adjusted, due	None.
" " not due	[illegible]
" Unadjusted	12,7[illegible] 49
" In suspense and waiting further proof	None.
All other claims against the Company	None.

The greatest amount insured in any one risk is $10,000
The greatest amount insured in any one city, town or village. No rule.
The greatest amount insured in any one block. No rule.
(Signed) W. C. HASTINGS, President.
J. B. PIERCE, Secretary.

STATE OF TENNESSEE, CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NASHVILLE, October 11, 1867.

I, G. W. Blackburn, Controller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the North American Fire Insurance Company, located at Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on Insurance Companies; and I further certify that S. R. Clarke & Co., Agents of said Company, have also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, made and provided in such cases.

Wherefore, said North American Fire Insurance Company has authority to take risks and transact the business of insurance in this State, at Nashville, Tennessee.
(Signed) G. W. BLACKBURN,
Controller of Tennessee.

This certificate of agency must be renewed the first days of July and January of each year.

S. R. CLARKE & CO.,

AGENTS,

no15 MEMPHIS, : : : : TENNESSEE.

FRANKLIN JOB PRINTING HOUSE



No. 15 West Court Street.

S. C. TOOF, Prop'r.

SPECIAL attention will be given to Business Cards, Circulars, Bill Heads, Letter Heads, Envelopes, Tags, Receipts, Checks, Dray Tickets, Bills of Lading, Account Sales, and all kinds of Mercantile Printing. no15

GREAT CLEARING SALE!

IMMENSE REDUCTION

—AT—

LINDAUER, ARNOLD & CO.'S

311 Main Street, Corner Monroe.

WE are determined to retire from the DRY GOODS BUSINESS, and consequently offer our immense stock of Dry Goods at unprecedentedly low rates.
Give us a call and be convinced of our low prices.
no16 LINDAUER, ARNOLD & CO.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE firm of MORGAN & JONES, Architects, is dissolved this the first day of November, 1867, by the death of Mr. John L. Morgan. The business of the firm will be closed by the surviving partner, MR. E. C. JONES. no7

Royal Havana Lottery

OF Cuba, conducted by the Spanish Government; $[illegible] in gold drawn every seventeen days; prizes cashed and information furnished. The highest rates paid for Doubloons and all kinds of gold and silver.
no27 TAYLOR & CO., Bankers,
16 Wall street, New York.

Fort Pickering Lots

At Public Sale for Cash.

WE will sell at OUR SALESROOM, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 20th of November, a number of

Choice Lots in Fort Pickering,

To which sale we especially invite the presence of Cash Purchasers, as the sale WILL BE POSITIVE AND UNRESERVED. Title perfect.
no17 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Notice.

WE warn all persons from trading for a note given by us to A. LOUIS & CO., for $5,000, April 1, 1867, as said note was given without consideration. It is the same note that has recently been in the possession of Mack & Bros., of Cincinnati.
no20 WOLCOTT, SMITH & CO.

NOTICE.

On and After the 21st instant

OUR RATES FOR COMPRESSING COTTON will be ONE DOLLAR AND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER BALE, which includes as before, the Drayage, Covering Sample Holes, and Fire Insurance, while in our possession. All Cotton received prior to said date will be charged at One Dollar and Fifty Cents per bale for Compressing.

All Bills for Compressing are due and payable at the time the Cotton is delivered to the Carrier.

Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company.
By J. MERRITT, President.
GILL & MAURY,
no20 Chickasaw Steam Cotton Press.

For Rent or Lease.

A PLANTATION containing five hundred acres of land, in a good state of cultivation, convenient to a good landing on the Mississippi river and the city of Memphis. It is above overflow. Has had thirteen crops in succession made upon it. It will be rented for one year, or leased for a series of years. Is unsurpassed for fertility.

Refer to W. A. GOODMAN, Memphis, Tenn.; Dr. A. S. DOWD, Moon Lake Landing, Miss. no20

A Card.

WAMSUTTA MILLS, NEW BEDFORD,
November 1, 1867.

J. Merritt, Esq., President Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, St. Louis, Mo.:

To day we are in receipt of one hundred bales of cotton by your line, in three cars. Have received up to this time 856 bales. The cotton has come in ADMIRABLE ORDER. Manufacturers will soon find out that it is for their interest to have their cotton come North by river and rail from Memphis. If I do any thing in New Orleans this year, I think I will try shipping up the river to Memphis and consign it to your Company to forward to us. It can then be compressed the same as though bought in Memphis, and will, without doubt, reach us in better order and less loss than it it came by vessel from New Orleans to New York or Boston.
Respectfully, THOMAS BENNETT, JR.

NEW YORK, November 2, 1867.

J. Merritt, Esq., President Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, St. Louis, Mo.:

DEAR SIR—We are to-day in receipt of the first lot of cotton compressed by you at Cincinnati, consigned to us. It is in the very best order. When all our shippers learn the benefits of compressing, they will no doubt very generally patronize you. Shippers hence to Liverpool to-day get freights one-third penny less on account of its being compressed. Less mending and picking is generally needed, and it loses less by plucking or stealing en route, and freights on all routes are less of course. We advise our correspondents to compress their cottons, and we trust you will reduce your charges so low that all will be induced to patronize you.
Very truly yours, E. P. BAKER & CO.,
Commission Merchants, 110 Pearl Street, (Hanover Square.)

UTICA STEAM COTTON MILLS,
UTICA, N. Y., November 13, 1867.

J. Merritt, Esq., President Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, St. Louis, Mo.:

DEAR SIR—We have received and are now receiving cotton from Memphis by your line, and as it comes to hand so promptly and in such perfect order, I consider our arrangement of the 1st, although unsolicited, your due. We have taken cotton into our mill on the eighth day after shipment from Memphis, the same having been compressed and shipped by your Company. The usual time of transit by other lines, by which we have received cotton heretofore, has been from sixteen to twenty days. We have never received our cotton in such good order before.
Very respectfully,
no20 E. CHAMBERLAIN, Treasurer.

TOOF, PHILLIPS & CO.,

Cotton Factors

WHOLESALE GROCERS AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

No. 266 Front Street, Memphis.

JNO. S. TOOF. CHAS. J. PHILLIPS. F. M. MAHAN

STRICT attention paid to the storage and sale of COTTON, and instructions regarding same strictly obeyed. Our facilities for the handling of Cotton are unsurpassed, and we invite especial attention to this branch of our business, feeling assured of our ability to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor us with their patronage.

All shipments covered by our Open Policy of Insurance, unless otherwise instructed.

Our stock of BAGGING, ROPE, IRON TIES and PLANTATION SUPPLIES generally, will always be found full and complete, and offered on as good terms as can be had in this market.

Thankful to our numerous patrons for the very liberal favors hitherto extended us, we respectfully ask a continuance of the same, pledging every effort on our part to give satisfaction by strict attention to the wants and interests of our customers.

MAJOR J. J. BUSBY—whose connection with our house still continues, will be pleased to receive a call from his numerous friends when visiting the city.
TOOF, PHILLIPS & CO

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CONDITION

OF THE

Liverpool & London & Globe

INSURANCE COMPANY

ON THE 1ST DAY OF JULY, 1867.

1st. Name of the Company—Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company. Chief office in Liverpool, England; Branch in New York.

2d. Amount of Capital Stock authorized.........$10,000,000

3d. Capital paid in	$1,3[illegible] 00	Gold.
Reserve Fund	[illegible]	
Undivided Profits	172,[illegible] 00	
	$16,271,[illegible] 00	

4th. Assets of the Company in the United States:

1st. Cash in hands of Agents	$ [illegible]
Cash on hand	[illegible]
2d. Real Estate owned by the Company, unincumbered	332,[illegible]
3d. Bonds owned by the Company, viz.: $162,000 United States 5 20 Bonds, registered and coupon; 10,000 United States 10-40 Bonds, coupon; 50,000 San Francisco city and county 7 per cent. Bonds; 25,000 San Francisco city and county 6 per cent. Bonds; 10,000 Virginia State registered 6 per cent. Bonds	$[illegible] 02
4th. Debts of the Company, secured by mortgage	614,[illegible] 00
5th. Debts otherwise secured	[illegible]
6th. Debts for Premiums	[illegible]
7th. All other Securities	None
Assets of the Company in this country	$1,[illegible] 39

8th. The amount of Liabilities of the Company, due or not due to Banks or other creditors.........None
9th. Losses adjusted and due.........None
10th. Losses adjusted and not due.........None
11th. Losses unadjusted.........
12th. Losses in suspense waiting proof.........$112,745 50
13th. All other claims against the Company.........None
14th. The greatest amount insured in any one risk in Tennessee.........25,[illegible]
15th. The greatest amount allowed by the rules of the Company to be insured in any city, town or village.........No Rule
16th. The greatest amount allowed to be insured in any one block.........No Rule
17th. The Act of Incorporation of the Company.........Sent forward

STATE OF NEW YORK, } ss.
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, }

ALFRED PELL, JR., of said city, being duly sworn, says that he is the Resident Secretary of the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company; that he has read the statement of the condition of said Company, as above set forth, and that the same is a true and correct statement of the condition of said Company on the 1st day of July, 1867, and further saith not.
(Signed) ALFRED PELL, JR.,
Resident Secretary,
Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company.
Sworn to before me this 29th day of October, 1867.
(Signed) JOHN F. DOYLE,
Notary Public, New York county.

STATE OF NEW YORK, } ss.
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, }

I, WILLIAM C. CONNER, Clerk of the City and County of New York, and also clerk of the Supreme Court for the said city and county, being a Court of Record, do hereby certify that John F. Doyle, before whom the annexed deposition was taken, was, at the time of taking the same, a Notary Public of New York, dwelling in said city and county, duly appointed and sworn, and authorized to administer oaths to be used in any Court in said State, and for general purposes; and that his signature thereto is genuine, as I verily believe.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court and county, the 29th day of October, 1867.
(Signed) WM. C. CONNER, Clerk.

STATE OF TENNESSEE,
CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NASHVILLE, November 4, 1867.

I, G. W. BLACKBURN, Controller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company, located at Liverpool, England, Branch in the State of New York, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on insurance companies; and I further certify that S. R. Clark & Co., Agents of said Company, have also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, made and provided in such cases.

Wherefore, said Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company has authority to take risks and transact the business of Insurance in this State, at Memphis, Shelby county, Tennessee.
(Signed) G. W. BLACKBURN,
Controller of Tennessee.

S. R. CLARKE & CO.,

Agents,

Memphis, Tennessee.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

FULTON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

ON THE 30th DAY OF JUNE, 1867,

As required by the law of the State of Tennessee.

1st. NAME.—Fulton Fire Insurance Company of New York.
2d. LOCATION.—New York city.
3d. Amount of Capital Stock paid in is Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.
4th.

ASSETS.

Amount Cash on hand and in hands of Agents and other persons	$ 31,095 27
Real Estate	None.
New York County Bonds, 7's	100,000 00
New York City Bond's, 7's	2,970 31
Brooklyn City Bonds, 7's	4,000 00
Tennessee Bonds, 6's	12,000 00
United States Bonds, 6's, 1881	15,000 00
" " 10-40's	15,000 00
" " 5-20's	41,000 00
" " 7-30's	20,000 00
Debts secured by mortgage	79,[illegible] 00
Debts otherwise secured	22,350 00
Debts for Premiums	8,192 05
All other Securities	23 5[illegible] 59

LIABILITIES.

Amount due to Banks and other creditors	None.
Losses adjusted and due	None.
Losses unadjusted	$14,665 0[illegible]
All other claims	4 [illegible] 92

The greatest amount insured in any one risk, $15,000 00.
The greatest amount allowed to be insured in any city, town or village. No rule.
The greatest amount allowed to be insured in any one block. No rule.
WM. M. COBB, President.
JAMES M. RANKIN, Secretary.

STATE OF TENNESSEE, CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NASHVILLE, October 1[illegible], 1867.

I, G. W. Blackburn, Controller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the Fulton Fire Insurance Company, located at New York, in the State of New York, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on Insurance Companies; and I further certify that Farnsworth & Clark, Agents of said Company, have also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State made and provided in such cases.

Wherefore, said Fulton Fire Insurance Company has authority to take risks and transact the business of insurance in this State, at Nashville, Tennessee.
G. W. BLACKBURN, Controller of Tennessee.

This certificate of agency must be renewed the 1st days of July and January of each year.

S. R. CLARKF & CO.,

AGENTS,

no15 MEMPHIS, : : : : : : TENNESSEE.

EDWARD C. JONES,

ARCHITECT,

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THE balance of LOTS near the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad Depot, not sold on Tuesday, will be closed out on FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT TWO O'CLOCK.
O. H. MONSARRAT,
no20 Auctioneer.

Public Sale of a House and Lot on Robeson Street.

ON Friday next, 22d of November, we will sell, on the premises, without reserve, to the highest bidder, at eleven o'clock a.m., part of lot 33, on south side of Robeson street, between Hill and Winchester, 36 feet front by 188 feet depth, on which is a comfortable dwelling. Title perfect.
TERMS—Half cash, six and twelve months, with interest.
no17 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Public Sale

OF A

VALUABLE FARM,

Adjoining the Marshall Institute,

Three Miles from Lafayette Depot, on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad.

WE will, on SATURDAY, the 7th day of December 1867, sell, upon the premises, to the highest bidder, the place known as the McFERRIN FARM, now owned by Colonel W. T. AVERY, situated partly in Tennessee and partly in Marshall county, Mississippi, with usual plantation improvements, containing about 300 acres cleared land and 120 acres timbered.

TERMS:

One-half cash, the balance in one and two years, secured by trust deed.

The Marshall Institute is a female college of long standing, and now in a flourishing condition.

The location in this and every other respect is highly advantageous.

SALE POSITIVE AND UNRESERVED.
no16 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO.,
Auctioneers.

EXECUTORS' SALE

OF

The Homestead Tract of Land,

NEAR THE CITY OF MEMPHIS,

BELONGING TO THE LATE JOHN POPE, ESQ.

BY direction of the Will of the late John Pope, deceased, we will sell at public sale to the highest bidder,

On Thursday, November 28, 1867,

The valuable place on which he resided, well known as "THE OAKS," situated on the OLD RALEIGH ROAD, about five miles from Memphis, subdivided into small tracts, as per plan, to be seen at the office of the Auctioneers. These are highly desirable lands for Residences and Garden Farms.

The mansion, with its ample house room, and the large garden and beautiful grove attached, constitute one of the most attractive and beautiful homesteads to be had in the vicinity of Memphis. The property will be sold on the following easy

TERMS:

Third Cash, balance one and two years credit, with lien retained. Sale upon the premises, commencing at ten o'clock.
A. C. POPE, Executrix.
A. R. POPE, Executor.
ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers. oc29

Second Street Property!

WE will sell to the highest bidder, POSITIVELY, THREE LOTS ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER SECOND AND ADAMS STREETS. The sale to take place

On Monday Morning, November 25,

At 12 O'clock, on the Premises.

This is one of the most valuable corners in the city, and will be sold regardless of the price bid, for one-half cash, balance in six and twelve months with interest. The title is indisputable.
O. H. MONSARRAT,
no17 Auctioneer.

Residence AT Auction.

WE will sell, on SATURDAY morning next, November 23d, at Eleven o'clock, on the premises, a Dwelling House and Lot situated on the east side of Town Reserve, on Brinkley avenue, just north of the crossing of the Memphis and Ohio railroad. The house is nearly new, in complete order, and contains six rooms, stable and outhouses.

The lot has a front of 100 feet by a depth of 190 feet to an alley. This is a healthy and desirable location, and the property belongs to a non-resident and must be sold, positively. Title indisputable. Terms liberal.
id G. H. MONSARRAT, Auctioneer.

EXECUTORS' SALE

OF

VALUABLE FARMING LANDS

IN

Fayette County, Tenn., & Marshall County, Miss.

Near the Railroad Depot at Collierville.

BY direction of the Will of John Pope, deceased, we will sell to the highest bidder,

On Thursday, December 5, 1867,

Upon the premises, commencing at twelve o'clock, the valuable tract of land belonging to decedent, known as the NONCONNAH PLANTATION, about four miles south of Collierville, containing about eleven hundred acres, subdivided into several small farms, as per plat, to be seen at the published maps. This plantation was selected for its superior advantages of location and production, and offers great inducements to cotton, grain or fruit growers, having a large proportion of open land under good fence.

The improvements are such as are usual on a cotton farm. At the same time and place will be sold as the property of the same estate, a House with five acres of land in the town of Mount Pleasant, Miss.

TERMS OF SALE:

Third cash, balance in one and two years with lien retained.
A. C. POPE, Executrix.
A. R. POPE, Executor.
ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers.
Somerville Falcon and Holly Springs Reporter copy and send bill to Avalanche. no7

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This is a rare opportunity for any one wishing to go into business. The stock of goods is fresh and well assorted, and the location and storeroom the best in the city. For terms, etc., apply to
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Builders' Materials,
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Chemists to His Imperial Highness Prince Napoleon.

THESE different medicines represent the most recent medical discoveries, founded on the principles of chemistry and therapeutics. They must not be confounded with secret or quack medicines, as their names sufficiently indicate their composition; a circumstance which has caused them to be appreciated and prescribed by the faculty in the whole world. They widely differ from those numerous medicines advertised in the public papers as able to cure every possible disease, as they are applicable only to but a very few complaints. The most stringent laws exist in France with regard to the sale of medical preparations, and only those which have undergone an examination by the Academy of Medicine, and have been proved efficacious, either in the hospitals or in the practice of the first medical men, are authorized by the government. This fact must be a guarantee for the excellency of Messrs. GRIMAULT & CO.'s medicines.

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The newest and most esteemed medicine in cases of CHLOROSIS, PAINS IN THE STOMACH, DIFFICULT DIGESTION, DISMENORRHEA, ANEMIA, GENERAL DEBILITY and POORNESS OF BLOOD. It is particularly recommended to regulate the functions of nature, and to all ladies of delicate constitution, as well as to persons suffering under any kind of debility whatsoever. It is the preservative of health par excellence in all warm and relaxing climates.

No More Cod Liver Oil—Grimault's Syrup of Iodized Horse Radish.

This medicine has been administered with the utmost success in the hospitals of Paris. It is a perfect substitute for COD LIVER OIL, and has been found most beneficial in DISEASES OF THE CHEST, SCROFULA, LYMPHATIC DISORDERS, GREEN SICKNESS, MUSCULAR ATONY and LOSS OF APPETITE. It regenerates the constitution in purifying the blood, it being the most powerful depurative known. It has also been applied with happy results in DISEASES OF THE SKIN. Further, it will be found to be of great benefit to young children subject to HUMORS and OBSTRUCTION OF THE GLANDS.

Consumption Cured—Grimault's Syrup of Hypophosphite of Lime.

This new medicine is considered to be a sovereign remedy in cases of PHTHISIS and other DISEASES OF THE LUNGS. It promptly removes all the most serious symptoms. The cough is relieved, night perspirations cease, and the patient is rapidly restored to health.

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This delicious preparation is always prescribed by the most reputed medical men in France in cases of derangements of the digestive functions, such as GASTRITIS, GASTRALGIA, LONG AND LABORIOUS DIGESTION, wind in the stomach and bowels, EMACIATION, JAUNDICE and COMPLAINTS OF THE LIVER AND LOINS.

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This vegetable substance, which grows in the Brazils, has been employed since time immemorial to cure INFLAMMATION OF THE BOWELS. It has proved of late to be of the greatest service in cases of CHOLERA, as it is preventive and a cure in cases of Diarrhea.

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A small quantity of this powder in a glass of water is sufficient to obtain instantly an effervescing mineral and gaseous water to be drank at meals, either pure or mixed with wine.

It is a most valuable medicine for persons suffering from Chlorosis, Stomach Aches, and for Ladies suffering from Difficult or suppressed Menstruation. It is also particularly prescribed to persons unable to digest the ordinary meals since commencing iron.

This celebrated preparation has the advantage to prevent all tendency to constipation, and to contain a certain portion of manganese, considered by the most eminent medical men as indispensable in cases of treatment by ferruginous medicines.

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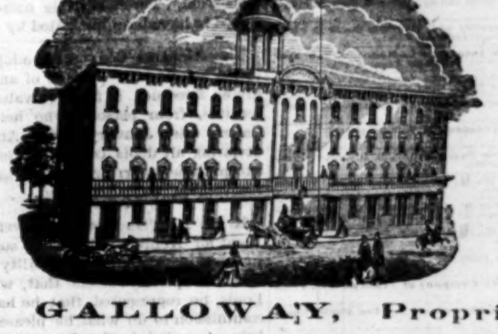
Where all other medicines have failed these preparations will always effect a cure. They insure rapid and extraordinary cure of severe, recent and chronic cases of private diseases. They are used in the hospitals of Paris by the celebrated Dr. Ricord, and are found greatly superior to all hitherto known mineral remedies and copaiba and cubebs. The injection is used in recent and capsules in the more chronic cases.

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no13 PHILIP GARVIN,
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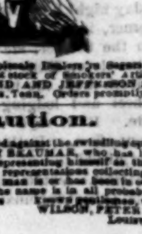
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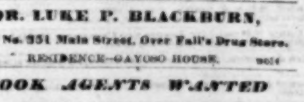
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WEDNESDAY, : : : : NOVEMBER [...]

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MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAIL[ROAD]
Through Express Daily ... [...]
Through Mail Daily ... [...]
Somerville Accommodation Daily, (Sundays excepted) ... 7:40 A.M.
Ticket office, 275 Main, corner of South Court [...]
MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAIL[ROAD]
New Orleans Express ... [...]
Freight daily, except Sunday ... [...]
MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAIL[ROAD]
Day Express ... [...]
Night Express ... [...]

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Our city patrons are r[equested] not to pay any one for subscriptions to th[e AVA]LANCHE without a certificate from the offic[e entit]ling them to collect.
GALLAWAY, RHEA & CL[...]

MUNICIPAL COURT—George W. Waldron, [...] Meets to-day pursuant to adjournment. [...] have been specially set for trial.

A TALLOW THIEF.—Thos. Spam was arre[sted yes]terday by Officer Atler, for stealing a qu[antity of] tallow from M. A. Cohen. He will be di[...] this morning.

THE "BLACK CROOK."—The additional [...] quired in the injunction of the "Black [Crook" case] was supplied yesterday, and the case will [come up for a] hearing this morning before Chancellor S[...]

ON THE VAG.—Jake Ackerman, a wel[l known] "Mackerel," is again in trouble. He was [arrested] yesterday as a vagrant, and unless this [...] he can show some visible means of sup[port he] will have to take a dose of the chain gang[...]

SENT UP.—John Williams, who stole se[...] a half dollars from Ella Wood, a saddle[...] female, was sent to jail yesterday, by [...] Miller, in default of five hundred dolla[rs bail to] appear before the Municipal Court.

BEATING A NEGRO WOMAN.—Wash [...] charged Minnie Sergeant with stealing, a[nd Min]nie brings a counter charge against W[ash for] beating, and otherwise maltreating her. [...] to be spite work all round, but Wash h[as been sent] before the grand jury.

DRAWING WEAPONS.—O. McGrath was [...] charged, before Judge Hall, by his wi[fe with] drawing and threatening to use upon he[r] deadly weapons, and being fearful of [...] she made the complaint. The case we[nt to the] grand jury.

THE POPLAR STREET TRAGEDY.—[...] who shot Smith, gave himself up to Coron[er...] on Monday night. He was discharged [...] day morning, in accordance with the v[erdict of] the Coroner's jury, no prosecutor a[ppearing] against him.

CRIMINAL COURT—Thomas Hunter, Ju[dge.] The murder case of the State vs. Joseph [...] occupied the time of the court on [...] Nine jurors were obtained. The trial of [...] will last for several days. It will be t[...] to-day at the opening of court.

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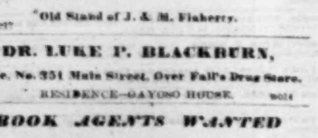


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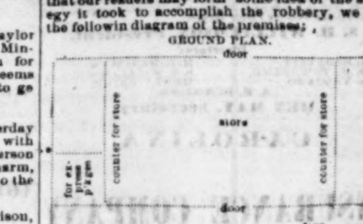
THE JACKSON ROBBERY.

Additional Facts Brought Out on the Examination.

Diagram of the House.

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GROUND PLAN.



The house is a two-story one, the entrance to the upper story being reached by a flight of stairs on the outside, we believe. In the upper story six persons were sleeping when the office was entered and the safe containing the money selected from the four, and carried off to the woods and broken open. The safe weighed upwards of two hundred pounds, and it would have been considerable of a weight for two men to carry over a quarter of a mile. After the robbery considerable excitement occurred at Jackson, and several persons were arrested for the crime, all of whom succeeded in proving *alibis*, and much prejudice was entertained against Creighton and Regan, but since the hearing of the evidence, and the slender thread by which they are connected with it, since it has been found out that the money was in but one safe among four others, all similar to the one that contained the money, and, above all, since the confession of the negro to the lynchers has come out, public opinion has underwent considerable of a change, and a much more favorable opinion is entertained of the men accused of committing the robbery.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Board met last night at seven o'clock, President Hulbert in the chair.

Present: Aldermen Amis, O'Donnell, Shaw, Hill, Ruffin, Passmore, Smith, Wickersham, Cochran, Powers, Brown, Holst and Johnson.

The minutes of the two last meetings read and approved.

A report from the Waterworks commissioners, informing the Board that the surveys for said works were completed two weeks ago. The mapping will be done by the middle of December, when a final report on the sewerage and waterworks will be made. $22,764 72 in city scrip was received, and sold for $11,850 in currency, and it will require about $4,000 more to finish the work. Ordered filed.

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Alderman Shaw moved to strike out all about the city dispensaries. Carried.

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The report of the Finance Committee was then adopted. Ayes, 9; noes, 3.

Alderman Hill reported a resolution in favor of authorizing the Committee on Finance to fix a rate of payment in city scrip for all contracts already made, and those made after this date be paid in city scrip at par. Referred to the City Attorney.

The same committee reported against allowing the Mayor to relieve the poor at the rate of $500 a week. Report adopted.

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The contract of W. H. Passmore & Co., with Joseph Damars & Co., of Lyons, was read, and Alderman Powers moved that a committee of three be appointed to consider the communication, and answer the letter from the Mayor of Lyons. Withdrawn.

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A communication was presented from the Howard Association, in regard to an infant, whose mother had died with the recent epidemic a few days after its birth, and whose father cannot be found, asking the city to take charge of said infant. The city took charge of the child.

Alderman Ruffin offered an ordinance reducing the license of oyster saloons from $100 to $50. Carried.

Alderman Smith: Petition of Mrs. Mary Dillon, asking to be sent to New York, where she has friends, her husband having died about a week ago from cholera, leaving her with two children. The petition was referred to the Mayor with power to act.

Alderman Passmore reported that in order to arrive at any conclusion in regard to the affairs of the city, a couple of accountants will be necessary, and asking for authority to employ them. Granted.

A petition for the widening of Main street below Trezevant, was referred to Improvement Committee.

A communication from John Donovan, President of the Gayoso Gas company, calling upon the Mayor for the instalment due on the gas subscription of the city. Referred to City Attorney.

Alderman Smith offered a resolution asking the Mayor and Finance Committee to report at a called meeting, to be held within the next five days, as to whether they intend to pay the employes of the city in cash or its equivalent.

Alderman Passmore moved to lay the resolution on the table. Carried; Ayes, 11; nays 1.

Alderman O'Donnell offered a resolution instructing the police to inforce the city ordinance in regard to meat stores doing business without license.

Alderman Hill moved that the Mayor and Finance Committee be authorized to call upon W. H. Cherry, Esq., for the balance due the city on a loan negotiated, and to take proper steps to protect the interests of the city.

A resolution to include the grading and engineering of the streets in the contract of Taylor, McBain & Co., and Lowdon & Co., and authorizing the Mayor and Paving Committee to enter into negotiations, on the subject was adopted, and the City Attorney was added to said committee.

Alderman Smith offered a resolution requesting the Ordinance Committee to report an ordinance for the cleaning of the streets.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

LAW COURT—James O. Pierce, Judge, etc.—The cases set for trial to-day are as follows:

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34 Bradley, use, etc. vs Austin.
35 Greenlaw vs Williams.
36 Churchill et al ser part vs Fithian et al.
37 Ford vs Austin et al.
38 Beckett vs Adams' Express Company.
39 Blackmore vs Talley.
41 Young vs Marks
42 Hodman, administratrix, vs Mason.
43 Wickersham, administrator, etc. vs Fowlkes, adm'r.
45 Schmieck vs Katzenbach.
46 Galbraith vs McKay, administratrix.
49 Davis vs Hawthorne.
50 Bartlett et al vs Rowe.
51 Rice vs Glancey.
52 Williams vs Mobile and Ohio railroad company.
53 Burr, trustee, vs Feits, administrator, deceased.
54 Jones vs Little.
55 Wiley vs Fowlkes.
56 Brown vs Pearson.
57 Cochran vs steamer John Simonds.
58 Healy vs Flowers.
59 Tucker vs Memphis and Ohio railroad company.
60 Coleman vs Bickford.
62 Bender vs Byron.
63 M & A of M, use, etc. vs Austin.
64 Fightmaster ser part vs Payan.
65 Trotter vs Moore et al.
67 Fenton & Co vs steamer B H Lewis.
68 Goodman vs Stewart.
70 Stillman vs Clark et al.

NOTICE.—Mr. Thomas Leonard will please call on me, otherwise I shall be compelled to send an officer for him, under the laws of this State.

WM. P. COWLES, No. 286 Front street.

TO THE PUBLIC.—An article appeared in the AVALANCHE of Sunday morning, November 17, 1867, over my signature, reflecting on Mr. Thomas Leonard. This is to inform everybody that I freely retract all of said article, the same having been written and published by me at a time when my mind was unbalanced. I now make a full and complete retraction, the said Mr. Thomas Leonard having, to my knowledge, demeaned himself honorably, both in public and private life, and he does not owe me a dime but what has been paid.

3t WM. P. COWLES.

L. Kremer wishes it distinctly understood that this is no clearing sale, as he intends to continue, as he has done for the last seventeen years, to do business in this city, but will sell his elegant stock of fine goods at such prices as will insure quick sales and the reduction of his stock.

LYNCH LAW.

The Hickory Wythe Desperado Captured and Lynched.

The Last Scene in his Reckless Career.

We have from time to time kept our readers posted as to the desperate acts of a highwayman, whose name is supposed to be Frank Jones, who had made the Loosa Hatchie bottom, in the neighborhood of Hickory Wythe Station, on the Memphis and Ohio railroad, the scene of his operations. The deeds Jones is said to have perpetrated, and the total insensibility to danger he is said to have displayed, render him worthy to take a high rank with those knights of the road who, about one hundred years ago, made every highway and by-way leading into London insecure, and his crimes seem like those perpetrated about the time we speak of in the neighborhood of Hounslow Heath. Jones' first exploit was capturing Mr. Greenleaf, and compelling him to strip in the woods; his next was his attack upon Mr. Alfred Battle, whom he shot at from the roadside. He was then pursued, and when his pursuers came upon him, he coolly turned and discharged his repeater at the pursuing party, and then leisurely walked away, and disappeared. The pursuit had been kept up unintermittingly, and every yard of ground in the neighborhood had been searched for him, but without success. He was driven from one concealment to another, until he had no place in which to hide in safety, and as a *dernier resort*, Jones adopted the bold plan, perfectly in keeping with his character and the romance attending the whole affair, of making his appearance at Wythe depot, and telling a story about having been waylaid by the highwayman, and shot at and robbed in the woods. Among his listeners happened to be Mr. Alfred Battle, the gentleman who was shot at from the roadside, and it seems that Mr. Battle, whom the robber was rapidly approaching when frightened away by the sudden appearance of the horsemen who came up, noticed that a couple of the unwelcome visitor's fingers were missing. While Jones was telling his story on Sunday, Mr. Battle observed a similar defect in the right hand. A single close glance at his features caused an immediate recognition, and the course of Mr. Battle was prompt and decisive. In a moment after the recognition the highwayman of Hickory Wythe was struggling in the grasp of two strong men. He was soon overcome, and submitted to his ill fortune with the same stolidity and recklessness of consequences which had hitherto characterized him. Jones confessed that he had not only shot at Mr. Battle, but had forced Greenleaf to strip, and sent the threatening letter. He added that he did not desire to kill Mr. Greenleaf; merely desired to frighten a little money out of him.

It was certainly a bold scheme to get out of the tight place in which the pursuit had placed him, and would no doubt have been successful, had it not been for the sharpness of the eyes of Mr. Battle, in detecting the absence of his two fingers, and his promptness and presence of mind in taking advantage of that knowledge before the desperado had reason to think he was suspected. Shortly afterward the highwayman was spirited away from the station, and late in the afternoon the body of a man, from whose right hand two fingers were missing, was found dangling from a tree in the swamp. Let the following verdict of the Coroner's jury tell the remainder of the tragic story:

State of Tennessee, Shelby County, November 17, 1867.—At an inquest, held in Shelby county, November 17, 1867, by H. C. Brewer, justice of the peace, on the body of Frank Jones, the jury returned a verdict of shooting and hanging. The body being found suspended by the neck from a tree, and bearing many shot wounds, both large and small, the jury returned a verdict as above. Deceased was a white man, about five feet ten inches in hight, about twenty-five years old, two fore fingers off the right hand, dark hair, light complexion, and would weigh about one hundred and thirty-five pounds.

Names of Jurymen—J. M. Creuse, Willis Itel, F. W. Applebury, J. C. Whittaker, L. P. Osborne, Kenneth Garnett, James Van.

This sudden and summary retribution upon Jones will no doubt exercise a salutary effect upon his associates, if he has any, and will convince them that the neighborhood of Hickory Wythe is becoming too hot to hold them. We are informed by Justice Brewer that a great many stragglers have been noticed in the vicinity of Shelby Depot, and that quite a number of horses and mules have been stolen from there and the surrounding country. The impression seems to be that there is a regularly organized gang of horse thieves and desperadoes in that section, but the people are determined that it shall be broken up, and as soon as any of them are caught they will share the fate of Jones, and have a quick shrift under the manipulations of Judge Lynch.

THE TREZEVANT SALE.—The sale of these suburban lands, as announced, were continued yesterday, being bid off at the following prices: Lot 26 and 27 at $400 per acre; lot 28 at $455 per acre; lot 30 at $435 per acre; lot 31 at $540 per acre; lot 32 at $380 per acre; lot 47 at $430 per acre; lot 49 at $365 per acre.

Just received by Joe Locke, 22 Jefferson street, the Ladies' Friend, Harper's Magazine, Demorest, Godey and Peterson, Nick Nax, Frank Leslie, Pleasant Hours (all for December), National Freemason (for 16th), New York Weekly, Scientific American, Home Journal, Police Gazette and News, New York Mercury, Army and Navy Journal, Courrier des Etats Unis, Southern Society, Every Saturday, Base Ball Chronicle, Jolly Joker, Waverley Magazine Wilkes' Spirit, four different German papers and five different Irish weeklies, also all the late dailies, books, stationery, etc. Give him a call.

VERY BRILLIANT.—The enterprising proprietors of the well known Brilliant Saloon, in Whisky Chute, are determined to keep up with the times, and have added a restaurant to their already extended business, where parties can at all times find, besides the best of imported liquors, such other comforts as are needed to invigorate the inner man. To-morrow morning at 10½ o'clock they will set an elegant oyster lunch, and will do so daily hereafter. The Brilliant is one of the finest saloons in our city, and the liberality of its host is proverbial.

THE BELLE MEMPHIS.—This first class saloon, which has been closed for some time, is again open and in full blast, under the superintendence of Sam. Harmon, and with such guidance it is sure to prove a success. Mr. Harmon intends to set a fine lunch each morning, and we can assure our readers that the best wines, liquors and cigars can be found at the Belle Memphis. Presiding behind the bar, and ready to do the agreeable to all comers, will be found Johnny Check, a gentleman as well known for his qualities as a first class bar keeper as he is for the possession of all the traits of a gentleman. Go and see him.

To excel in any branch of art, merits success, and rarely fails to secure it. It is not so much the avocation which inspires respect as the faithful manner in which its requirements are fulfilled.

"Honor and shame from no condition rise—
Act well your part—there the honor lies."

This aphorism may be applied to the physical and mechanical, as well as to the moral; and we make its application to art as it is visible in this city. And first, of

Signs.—Those who have looked up at the front and side wall of No. 33 Monroe street, need not be informed that Messrs. Hook and LaGrill are not only sign painters, but artists. On the front is an allegorical picture, representing the influence of "the great staple" on industry and every branch of business. The center figure represents the presiding Muse of painting, while the jubilant artist, on the right, forcibly illustrates the joyous effect that "cotton up" has on a community, while "cotton down" leaves him in the lugubrious mood represented by the figure on the left. The lettering, embracing several ornamental varieties, is perfect, and exhibits excellent taste in the selection and arrangement. The magnificent sign in front of the door of Eastland, Lloyd and Gilbert's magnificent china store, is another specimen of their skill. The center, in the shape of an oval tray, represents a complete service of fine and fashionable China ware, drawn and colored with the highest artistic skill, and losing nothing in comparison with the real ware to be seen in the show window. The splendid gilded lettering on the front will compare favorably with the signs of any establishment, East or West. This, too, is from the *atelier* of Messrs. Hook & LaGrill, who have no superiors, if equals, in their line in this city. If further reference were necessary, that splendid piece of lettering in the window of the Memphis Insurance Agency of H. A. Littleton & Co., No. 22 Madison street, and the signs of the Southern Life Insurance company, on the opposite side of the street, would be sufficient to convince even the most incredulous that in point of design and execution this firm cannot be surpassed.

Graining and Marbling.—These gentlemen are now engaged in decorating the elegant new suburban mansion of Major Buckley, and imparting to it the highest finish of their art. As more convenient to the public, a fine specimen of their rosewood graining, a style admirably adapted to parlor doors and libraries, may be seen at the great China store to which we have referred above, and where can be seen specimens of the new art which they have brought to great perfection, known as

Kalsomining.—When it is considered that the materials used in this species of ornamentation are powerful disinfectants, and thereby conducive to health, it is surprising it is not more universally in use. It is cheaper than paint, looks equally as well; by it, the finest and most delicate tints can be imparted, and even old can be made to resemble new walls, masking every blemish, while the atmosphere is purified, and every offensive odor that may have lodged there will be banished entirely.

House Painting.—Specimens may be seen in every direction throughout the city.

Inducements.—Purchasing their materials from recognized first class manufacturers, at wholesale cash prices, they are enabled to guarantee their work, not only of the best quality, but can afford it on the most reasonable terms. They are strict men of business, prompt and punctual, and truly deserve the full share of patronage which they are receiving. They rely upon the excellence of their work, and the fidelity with which they fulfill all contracts, for their passport to the good will of the public.

THE GREAT SALE OF BUILDING LOTS.—Yesterday there was a large attendance of persons who were anxious to secure lots at this extensive sale, and the bidding was spirited for the times. A number of the lots were sold, and the sale continued, by the auctioneer, Colonel Monsarrat, until Friday afternoon, at two o'clock, when the entire balance of lots will be closed out regardless of the prices bid. Persons who desire a location in a healthy and desirable part of the city, or who wish to make an investment that will soon double itself, will do well to attend, as every lot will be disposed of regardless of the prices bid.

A great variety of heating stoves and cooking stoves, the best in the market, always on hand. Prices to suit the times. Persons will do well to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

H. WETTER & Co.,

1m Nos. 13 and 15 Monroe street.

For cheap dry goods go to the one price store of Wells & Call, No. 287 Main street, opposite Court Square. Goods sold lower than ever before in Memphis. Persons can rely on the goods, and no deduction on the marked prices. Everything is strictly one price. 1w

J. R. Robertson, attorney at law, has removed his office to No. 48 North Court street, corner of Court and Second. 3t

Price brogans, linseys and cotton cards at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.', Clay building. They are closing out. 1w

Price men's and boys' boots and shoes at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.', No. 231 Main street. They are quitting business. 1w

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Price blankets, flannels and domestics at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.', Clay building. They are quitting business. 1w

Price ladies' and gents' hem-stitch handkerchiefs at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.', No. 231 Main street. They are sacrificing them to close by the 1st of January. 1w

Do not miss going to Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

Jouvin's kid gloves ninety cents, at Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

SOUTHERN PALACE.—Howell, Wood & Co. have reduced the prices of their entire stock of goods to correspond with the times. 3t

Rice, Stix & Co. have reduced prices of prints, brown and bleached muslins, and sheetings to almost anti-war prices. 1m

Price ladies', misses' and children's shoes at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.', Clay building. They are closing out. 1w

Merinoes fifty cents per yard, at Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

Price gents' ready made clothing at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.', No. 231 Main street. They are selling out. 1w

Price calicoes and dress goods at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.', Clay building. They are sacrificing them to close by the 1st of January. 1w

Canton flannels twenty-one cents per yard, at Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

Bargains this week, at Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

Call and examine the prices of our staple and dress goods. We are determined to sell as low as the lowest.

HOWELL, WOOD & Co.,

3t 332 Main street.

We have fully determined to retire from business, and offer our stock of dry goods, boots, shoes and furnishing goods at extremely low prices. Call and convince yourself before buying elsewhere.

1w MACK, BROS. & BOHM.

Our hosiery, notion and furnishing department will be closed out regardless of cost. Great bargains offered in cloaks, saques, shawls, dress goods, laces, etc., new styles and of superior quality, at Mack, Bros. & Bohm. 1w

We are determined to close out business, so you will miss a rare opportunity by not calling at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

Plaid linseys, jeans, gray blankets, white blankets, flannels, all colors, gents' underwear, reduced twenty-five per cent. from last month's prices.

1m RICE, STIX & Co.

Look at our new prices of fancy dress goods, knitt goods, shawls, cloaks, hosiery, Balmorals. They are all greatly reduced.

1m RICE, STIX & Co.

Read the advertisement of Lindauer, Arnold & Co., 311 Main street, in regard to their great closing sale. tf

Calicoes ten cents per yard, at Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

Domestics eight to twelve cents per yard, at Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

SOUTHERN PALACE.—The prices of our entire stock of goods have been reduced. Call and examine.

HOWELL, WOOD & Co.,

3t 332 Main street.

Underwear and gent's linen shirts at half prices at Mack, Bros. & Bohm, 261 Main street. 1w

Great closing sale at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street, commencing Monday, November 11th. tf

Our immense stock dress goods at prices that will insure a ready sale, at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

Bed blankets, balmoral and hoop skirts, shawls and cloaks, at the greatest reduction in price, at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

Miles' shoes for ladies and children, at reduced prices, at Lindauer, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

We cannot enumerate the prices of our immense stock to be closed out—they are the lowest in order to secure an early sale. RICE, STIX & Co.

MAGNIFICENT ESTABLISHMENT.—There is on exhibition at the confectionary store of B. Rocco, corner of Main and Adams streets, one of the most beautiful pieces of workmanship we have ever seen—a splendid palace, constructed in a most ingenius and elegant manner, of candy. It occupies the whole show window, and is one of the most beautiful and attractive features of that portion of the city. Large crowds are attracted to this fine confectionary establishment by this window, and when they enter the store they do not fail to find the largest and best selected stock of confectionaries in the city. Every thing in the confectioner's line will always be found here at the most reasonable rates, and of the very best quality. Country merchants and citizens wishing to make purchases in this line connot find a better place to promptly and satisfactorily supply their wants than at B. Rocco's, corner of Main and Adams streets. He has also received a large supply of the best Malaga grapes, which he will sell cheap. Give him a call.

Attend the closing out sale of Mack, Bros. & Bohm. 1w

Read the new advertisement of Rice, Stix & Co. Their prices have been again reduced, in accordance with the latest decline, and they mean to offer such inducements as will guarantee an easy sale. 1m

Our prices will be seen to merit your patronage, at Lindaur, Arnold & Co.'s, 311 Main street. tf

Gents' undershirts and drawers, at Elson's great clearing sale. 3t

We are selling our staple. Goods at New York prices.

HOWELL, WOOD & Co.,

3t 332 Main street.

Price dry goods at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.', No. 231 Main street. They are selling out. 1w

Fresh mince pies and delicious oyster patties, every day, at Berton's confectionery, corner of Fourth and Poplar streets. 2w

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Constitution Water is a certain cure for diabetes and all diseases of the kidneys. For sale by all druggists.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.—A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so, by addressing, in perfect confidence,

JOHN B. OGDEN,

1yr No. 42 Cedar street, New York.

A cough, a cold or a sore throat requires immediate attention, and should be checked. If allowed to continue, irritation of the lungs, a permanent throat disease or consumption is often the result. Brown's Bronchial Troches, having a direct influence to the parts, give immediate relief. For bronchitis, asthma, catarrh, consumptive and throat diseases, Troches are used with always good success. Singers and public speakers use them to clear and strengthen the voice. Obtain only "Brown's Bronchial Troches," and do not take any of the worthless imitations that may be offered. Sold everywhere. 4m

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething, greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation; will allay all pain and spasmodic action, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. We have put up and sold this article for years, and can say in confidence and truth of it what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—never has it failed in a single instance to effect a cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of commendation of its medical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "what we know," after years of experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfilment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. Be sure and call for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," having the fac-simile of "Curtis & Perkins," on the outside wrapper. All others are base imitations. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Price only thirty-five cents per bottle. Offices—215 Fulton street, New York; 205 High Holborn, London, England; 441 St. Paul street, Montreal, Canada. sed

RIVER NEWS.

AVALANCHE OFFICE, WEDNESDAY, November 20.

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather dark and hazy. The river here commenced falling Yesterday. The Belle Memphis reports six feet large between here and Cairo, and five feet scant from there to St. Louis. The Ohio is falling from Louisville down, with four feet scant on the bars in the lower Ohio. White river continues low, with three and a half feet in the channel to Augusta. The Arkansas remains at low tide, with twenty-three inches on the bars.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Nick Longworth, Cairo.
" Commercial, White river.
" Countess, Hale's Point.
" Belle Memphis, St. Louis.
" Early Bird, Louisville.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Des Arc, Vicksburg.
" Emperor, Cincinnati.
" Starlight, Cincinnati.
" Commercial, White river.
" Mollie Hambleton, St. Francis river.
" Victor No. 2, Hale's Point.

IN PORT.

Steamer Nick Longworth, Countess and Belle Memphis.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The river has been swelling slowly, so as to improve the channel a few inches between here and Cairo. Between this place and Vicksburg there is little or no improvement, and navigation is precarious, rendered more so by the darkness of the atmosphere, and the dense fog along the river night and morning, rendering it next to impossible to discern an object at the distance of a few yards. The packets are behind time, occasioned by the natural causes referred to. The Commercial was to have left for White river yesterday afternoon, but had not arrived at the usual hour for departure. The same may be said of the other packets, which meet barriers of similar causes.

The Commercial arrived from White river last evening with ... bales of cotton, and returned last night with a fair trip. She was delayed on account of the fog.

The Belle Memphis made her appearance from St. Louis at five p.m. She returns to St. Louis to day at twelve m.

The Des Arc cleared for Vicksburg last evening, with a big trip of people and freight.

The St. Patrick, due from St. Louis, failed to come to time on account of the fog, which prevented boats from running. She will probably be found at the wharf this morning, to receive for Vicksburg and the bends, and leave at twelve m. Garrett Huls commands, with Captain Lee Stoney in the office.

The Mollie Hambleton, for St. Francis river, got off with a fair trip.

The Pilgrim, Captain Tom Berry, will be found at the wharf this morning, to receive for Pine Bluff and way points on the Arkansas, and leave to-day, at five p.m. James Thompson, a clever gentleman, presides in the office.

The W. J. Lewis will leave the wharf to day at five p.m.

The Early Bird, bound for New Orleans, arrived last night from Louisville.

The Nick Longworth, the regular Wednesday New Orleans packet, is at the wharf, receiving for New Orleans and the bends, and leaves to-day at four p.m., on her first trip. The Nick Longworth is a No. 1 passenger and freight boat, with superior passenger accommodations. She has been thoroughly overhauled and repaired during the summer. Her cabins have received a new dress, while her outfit is new and of the finest material. Her appointments as a packet are complete. Captain A. B. Irvin, her commander, is well known in the bends; he formerly commanded the Nebraska in the New Orleans trade, and designs continuing in the Memphis and New Orleans trade permanently, and we trust the merchants of Memphis, and our planting friends in the bends, will give Captain Irvin their support. We can assure them that he comes among us to stay, and not as an adventurer. We predict for this favorite packet a prosperous career, and under the guidance of her popular and competent officers she will certainly meet with success. Messrs. Charles Miller and old Jim Rowland, two gentlemen of experience in the trade, and noted for their urbanity and uniform kindness, have charge of the office. Cotton shippers can rely on the Nick Longworth.

The Golden Eagle, Captain Ben Merrilies, will be at the wharf to-day, and will leave to-morrow at five p.m. for Cincinnati.

Business on the wharf yesterday was fair, with a brisk movement in cotton shipments.

Captain Frank Vinson, of the firm of Vinson & Donahue, steamboat agents, returned home yesterday. Captain Frank has been up the river to see his old friends, who are quite numerous. His connection with the steamboat interest has been of long duration, and he returned home with a firm resolve to be the agent of several new packets.

Navigation along the lower Ohio is again becoming precarious, though the channel depth of water out over the Portland and New Albany bar is over four and a half feet. The shoalest point is French Island, where there are less than four feet water over the dam, a sort of obstruction thrown in the river to improve the channel depth in low water, but this year it appears to be more detrimental than useful. The natural sand bars wash or cut out, but this obstruction remains a warning to boatmen.

The new steamer, Frank Pargoud, built at Louisville, by Captain J. W. Tobin, for the New Orleans and Ouachita river trade, was successfully launched at Louisville, on Saturday. The Louisville *Courier* says:

A large number of persons, including many ladies, were on the boat at the time of the launch, and one young miss was singled out from among the throng, a brave little girl of only eight summers, who stood forward prominent on the forecastle, and, as soon as the swiftly gliding boat struck the water, she, with a steady hand, broke a bottle of wine over the bow, and christened the new craft the Frank Pargoud, in honor of one of Louisiana's planters, whose name is well known all along the banks of the Ouachita. The young lady who named the boat is Miss Mary Tobin, daughter of the gallant Captain, who had just reached her eighth birthday.

Alf. D. Armstrong has been appointed chief clerk of the steamer Mississippi.

Captain Sceeper is at present in Evansville, urging the merchants of that enterprising little city to run a line of packets from that point to White and Arkansas rivers. A line of packets in the Evansville and Memphis trade would do better.

The Legal Tender left Louisville for New Orleans, Saturday evening.

The Emperor cleared for Cincinnati last night, with six hundred bales of cotton.

The Starlight left at three p.m. for Cincinnati.

The Mary Forsythe will leave the city wharfboat this morning, at ten o'clock, for New Orleans and the bends.

The St. Louis *Times* of Sunday says:

The weather during the past week has been unusually mild and pleasant for the season. The long looked for rains have not yet made their appearance. Severe cold weather may be anticipated at any day, and the navigation of all the upper streams may be suspended at any moment. The navigation of the Missouri is drawing to a close rapidly. The Illinois is nearly dried up, but boats are still "making a show" of making trips in that stream. The Nellie Rogers still goes to Naples, although she is frequently behind her regular time. Freights are more plentiful for New Orleans than they have been for several weeks, although the general business on the levee is dull. The boats of the Northern Line and Keokuk Packet companies will be withdrawn from their respective trades, and laid up as soon as the water becomes too low for them to run with safety; but other boats of a light draft will continue to run in these trades until the stage of the water and the extreme coldness of the weather puts a stop altogether to navigation in the upper streams. The ... was sold on Friday at auction, to Captain White and others, for $3,175.

The Louisville *Courier* of Monday says:

The river was receding slowly, yesterday, with three feet four inches full in the canal, by the mark, last evening. During the previous forty-eight hours it had fallen two inches at the head of the falls, and five inches at Portland. The weather continues clear, with a heavy white frost and ice yesterday morning. At Cincinnati the river was about at a stand Saturday night, having swollen an inch or two in the previous twenty-four hours. At Pittsburg Saturday, at noon, the river was stationary, with only eight inches water in the channel, and the prospects for a resumption of navigation rather gloomy.

The Vicksburg *Times* of Sunday says:

The sale of W. M. Williams & Co.'s wharf-boats to the Merchants' Association was consummated on yesterday. Captain Bill Green has taken charge, and is open for business.

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
WEDNESDAY, November 20, 1867.

Money yesterday was tight almost beyond precedent. The banks are confining their discounts to those considered regular customers, and pretty much to enable them to maintain their credit. Those who need accommodations are driven to the streets, where the rates are at least five per cent a month, and scarce at that, none but the best paper obtaining a sight. Considerable additional capital might be employed to advantage here, on unquestionable security, and it is remarkable, when so much has been accumulated elsewhere, where the rate of interest is low, that it does not seek investments where it is so pressingly needed, and where it would be entirely secure.

Gold at New York was 139⅛, and at this place 137.

EXCHANGE—Is scarce; buying at ¼ off, and selling at par.

CITY SCRIP—Steady; buying at 45c, and holding at 48@50c.

COUNTY SCRIP—Is Quiet, at 67@68c buying, and 75c selling.

POLICE SCRIP—Is dull; buying at 75c, and selling at 80.

Tennessee money is scarce and inactive. Dealers bid as follows:

For Bank of Tennessee, old issue, 30c; Bank of West Tennessee, 40c; Bank of Chattanooga, 10c; Bank of Middle Tennessee, 95c; City Bank, 50c; Merchants' Bank, 95c; Northern Bank, 95c; Ocoee Bank, 8c; Planters' Bank, 98c; Union Bank, 98c; Shelbyville Bank, 80c; Southern Bank, 20c; Traders' Bank, 95c; Bank of Knoxville, 42c; Commercial Bank, par; Bank of Memphis, par; Bank of the Union 95c; Buck's Bank, 95c; Life and General Insurance Bank, 10c; Union Bank certificates, 89c; Bank of Commerce, 95c; Bank of Paris, 95c.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
WEDNESDAY, November 20, 1867.

There was a fair business done yesterday in plantation supplies. The price of cotton had a downward tendency—middling being held at 15@15½c; the former being the ruling rate. Operations in cotton would be more extensive, but for the excessive stringency in the money market and the want of facilities to move it. The absence or limited extent of capital was never more intensely experienced than at the present time. Some idea may be formed of the causes, other than reduced capital, that operate to weigh heavily upon the Southern producer, by examining a brief extract from the New York *Times*:

"The supply of cotton derived by England from the United States was in 1861 seven out of eleven thousand millions of cwts., or seven-elevenths. Last year the whole supply being 11,400,000 cwts., the United States has furnished 4,600,000 cwts., or four-elevenths nearly. This is a singular reversal of the proportion in which the United States and countries other than the United States have contributed to the cotton supply of England. It is sufficient to show the comparative indifference with which England now regards the worm ravages, or short crop of the United States. As the late war probably contributed to plant the cotton culture in India, every short crop in the United States tends to establish it more firmly. It will thus console the English spinner for any temporary advance in the price of cotton. It is not indeed impossible that when the home product of England shall be adequate to her supply she may even impose conditions upon the import of American cotton."

This does not present a favorable future for the Southern producer, who has few inducements to run all the risks attendant upon cotton culture.

Before we suggest what should be done in the premises, we will reiterate, what we have repeatedly urged, that our planters who cannot honestly hold their cotton but are indebted to their merchants should by all means get their crop into market as soon as practicable, that they may relieve the liberal merchant who has strained his credit, after exhausting his means, to supply their necessities, and furnish those conveniences, without which the struggle to retrieve their decadent fortunes, by the experiment of another crop, would have been ineffectual, if indeed it could have been attempted at all. The steady decline in the great staple as it has heretofore been regarded must warn the planter that any permanent increase of prices need not be anticipated. In the present state of affairs, we doubt if the removal or material modification of the cotton tax would permanently or materially inure to the advantage of the planter. Even with that removal, the prices to be at all remunerative, or even approaching a remunerative point, cannot compete with the cheaper article produced in the Indies or elsewhere than in the United States. Were the case otherwise, the Northern manufacturer would be as materially concerned and deeply interested in the abolishment of the cotton tax as the Southern planter. We again refer to the *Times'* article, as containing suggestions of value:

"The reversed relation between the American planter and the English spinner show at least that the English dependence may very soon terminate, and that cotton may be produced cheaper and more abundantly in India than here. Such reflections tend to show the importance of restored friendship between the capital of one section and the labor of another. If the cotton manufacturers of America expect to compete for the market of the world they must have cheap cotton. Interior Texas must be opened up by rail as into the Oude and Punjaub. Our Government, instead of selling out the Southern railways as a penalty for public offenses, should reinstate and aid them as a means of maintaining American cotton supremacy. There should be a convention of cotton spinners and cotton planters to confer upon the extraordinary causes which have prostrated each from a position of prosperity, and to devise means by which the cotton contest with England may be waged in the mutual interest of each."

We are not so sure of the efficacy of a convention such as is suggested, but it certainly could do no harm. By bringing those together who have a mutual interest (which was not visible under the blind fury of stimulated hostility) and a consultation as to what must be done now, some good might be accomplished. But the initiatory step should be taken by the Northern manufacturers to induce Congress at once to abolish the cotton tax; after which a convention might be held to develop in how much the two interests are inseparably blended.

The Woodville (Mississippi) *Republican* has some excellent suggestions of the planter's future. But for its length we should like to serve the whole article to our readers. The *Picayune* of the 17th instant in reference to it says:

"An old merchant assures us that cotton is more likely to be sold at eight cents specie than for more next season, and he also says that freed labor is not intrinsically worth, in cotton raising particularly, the victuals and clothes. He has peculiar and unwonted means of judging."

We know it is a difficult matter to prevail upon any one to accept the experience of another, such is the frailty (obstinacy) of human nature; but it is not the less a duty to make the effort. The *Republican*, referred to, says:

"In plain words, the agricultural supremacy of the South arising from the culture of cotton is at an end. Not only so, cotton as a staple crop absolutely cannot be cultivated with profit. It has taken two years of bitter experience to teach our people this lesson, which they were so unwilling to learn; but so it is. At any rate cotton cannot be cultivated with the labor of freedmen. And beyond all this, there is a fact we might as well realize at once. The world will move, though not one pound of cotton be grown in the South. What would not have been believed possible, five years since, is to-day a fixed fact—England is wholly independent of the United States for her supply of cotton. This being the case, there is no probability that the price of the staple will ever again be a permanent thing—be remunerative. In the fall of 1865, the price of cotton, owing to the doubt and uncertainty of the amount of the supply, ranged at 45 to 50 cents per pound. Last year 25 to 31 cents. This fall, in the face of a certain and most disastrous failure of the crops, with short stocks on hand at all the ports, 15 and 18 cents is all that can be obtained for the best grades, such as previous to the war ranked from middling to middling fair, and the prices are constantly tending downwards. Next year it is as certain as anything in the future can be, that cotton in New Orleans cannot be sold at more than from 5 to 10 cents per pound."

After showing that planters or farmers seldom grow rich by the products of their plantations and farms, and the most they can do is to live comfortably, if not luxuriously, and realize fortunes by the increased value of real estate, as formerly by the additional increased value of their slave property, the same paper says,

"Let us wake up then; arise first, and, in such profuse abundance as we can, raise provision crops of all kinds, corn, potatoes, peas, beans, fruits, vegetables, etc., and when our cribs, outhouses and granaries are full of these, we shall at least be independent. If the freemen will not work they must starve. White labor, with the assistance of such freedmen as are not utterly demoralized by politics, clubs, etc., will suffice, properly directed, to make the country blossom as the rose. In the meantime, this is not the first instance where the staple crop of the country has ceased to be remunerative and had to be changed. Let our planters turn farmers in earnest, improve their stock, and try experiments. One writer says madder may be cultivated here with profit. A great many are turning their attention to the ramie, and this last, we believe, will succeed. One agent for the sale of the cuttings, reports that it will produce, in this climate, 800 pounds to the acre, and that it has been sold in England for 65 cents per pound. Machinery has already been perfected for preparing the staple for market. Let us not give up; God has given us too fair a climate and too genial a soil to be abandoned in despair. Next year let us see to it that the country is full of provisions, and the rest will follow; and when in this way the general condition of the country and people is improved, when we demonstrate what our soil and climate is actually capable of producing, then emigration will, of itself, turn this way, our lands will be in demand, the price will be enhanced, and thus many of our people once more made rich."

This exhausts the whole subject, and is commended to the calm consideration of the planting interest wherever our paper circulates. In connection herewith, we commend the following paragraph from the *Picayune*, illustrative of the advantages of farming by machinery, especially in the absence or insecurity and precariousness of any other kind of labor:

"The correspondent of a Galveston paper thus writes about the substitution of mechanical for manual labor:

'Take the farm of Elisha Embree, lying on the flat, untimbered prairie, three or four miles from Belton. By the aid of the 'gang plow' and the 'sulky cultivator,' a single hand on his farm has cultivated the present year sixty acres in corn, from which will be gathered 2,500 bushels, and numberless bundles of fodder. Just think of it, the product of a single laborer, and that laborer, instead of, like the 'ancient plowman plodding his weary way,' takes his seat as he would in his buggy, with his whip in hand, and, fanned by the breezes, rides his crop through from morning till night. Further down on the Leon, or perhaps on the San Gabriel, old Colonel Morgan, (if I remember the name correctly) an old gentleman who, before the war, was a man of great wealth, and lived as much at ease as any other, has, during the past season, cultivated a large area of ground by the aid of machinery, doing the riding and driving all by himself at the age of sixty five years, and has made an ample crop.'"

COTTON—Market yesterday morning opened firm, with a slight advance in prices, owing to the favorable advices from New York, which reported an advance of ½c. The demand was fair, with little offering, though holders were firm in their views, and in most cases buyers were compelled to concede to holders' prices in order to make their purchases. Throughout the day the market presented a good feeling. Sales of the day fair; middling to strict middling, 15½@16c; low middling, 14¾@15c; good ordinary, 14@14½c. During the evening, holders, anticipating an advance in the Liverpool market, were unwilling to sell at those prices. The market closed firm at the following quotations:

Ordinary	14 @14½
Good Ordinary	14 @14½
Low Middling	14¾@15
Middling	15½@15¾
Strict Middling	[illegible]
Good Middling	[illegible]

COTTON STATEMENT.

Receipts to-day	1,3[illegible] bales
Exports to-day	[illegible]

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, November 19.

Cotton firmer; sales, 4,000 bales; uplands, 18@18½c. Flour, superfine State and Western, $8 30@9 00. Whisky quiet and unchanged. Wheat better; amber State, $1 68. Corn better; mixed Western, $1 34@1 38. Oats a shade firmer; Western, 82c. Rice steady; Carolina, 9@9½c. Coffee quiet but steady. Sugar firm but quiet; Cuba, 11@12½c. Molasses dull and heavy. Pork quiet but firmer, $21 00. Lard steady but quiet; 12½@13¼c for barrels.

LOUISVILLE MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, November 19.

Tobacco a little firmer; sales 73 hhds at $5 00@18 75, for lugs to medium leaf. Hogs firm, $6 75@7 10 to packers. Flour; superfine, $8 00. Wheat steady, $2 35@2 40. Corn, new ear, 75@80c. Oats, 68c in bulk. Whisky, 35c bonded. Cotton, 15½c. Bacon; shoulders, 12½c; clear sides, 16½c. Mess pork, $20 00. Lard 12½c.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, November 19.

Sugar dull and declining; yellow clarified, 13@13½c. Molasses active, 70@90c. Flour is dull and depressed; superfine, $9 00@9 25; choice, $13 50@15 00. Corn dull, $1 30. Oats, small sales at 78c. Pork dull and declined 50c; now quoted at $21 50. Bacon dull and lower and retailing as follows: shoulders, 12½@12¾c; rib sides, 16c; clear sides, 17c. Lard dull; no sales; quoted, 12¾c for tierces; kegs, 13½c. Cotton firmer; middling Orleans, 17¼c. Sales, 3,400 bales. Receipts, 4,334 bales; exports, 784 bales. Sterling, 150½@153. New York sight, ¾@⅛c premium. Gold, 139⅜.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, November 19.

Cotton dull; middling, 16c. Family flour, $11 00@11 25. Wheat dull and unchanged. Corn, 90c. Oats dull, 65c. Rye firmer, $1 48@1 50. Barley, steady, $1 30@1 55. Tobacco firm. Whisky dull and nominal, 35c bonded. Hogs dull, $6 50@7 00 gross; $8 25@8 65 net. Provisions are unchanged. Pork is held at $20 00. Lard, 12c. Green shoulders, 7c; sides, 9c; hams, 12c. Bacon; shoulders, 11½@11¾c; clear sides, 15½@15¾c.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, November 19.

Tobacco active and steady. Cotton 15c. Hemp dull, $230@285. Flour lower and unsettled, $7 00@13 00. Wheat dull and easier, $1 75@2 55. Corn steady, 88@95c. Oats, 65@68c. Barley firm, $1 25@1 80. Rye firmer, $1 27½@1 32½c. Provisions quiet. Pork, $21 00@21 25. Bacon; shoulders, 12@12½c; clear sides, 15¾@16c. Lard quiet, 12@13½c. Whisky is held at $2 25.

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This new and splendid passenger steamer leaves THURSDAY, November 21, at 5 p.m.

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This elegant sidewheel steamer will leave as above THIS DAY, November 20, at 5 p.m.

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For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.

Nick Longworth .... Irwin, master

This fine passenger packet will leave as above WEDNESDAY, November 20, at 4 p.m.

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Nick Longworth .... Irwin, master

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Mary E. Forsythe .... Thompson, master

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Regular Tuesday and Friday Packet.

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Well, sir, I have one of the "old fashioned" Churns—an old family relic of several generations past, and do I understand you that nothing more is required than one of the "FINLEY DASHERS?"

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Well, friend, once more—excuse me, sir—right well pleased, but a little suspicious. Can't help it. Are you sure this is not one of the Yankee humbugs—one of the "Machine Notions," or one of the "Fub of the Universe Hams" sort of tricks; such hams that would, to look from, bring a "broad guage" grin to the phiz of the most fastidious epicure—but I'm somewhat of a change in the "programme and scenery" when casting a sly peep at the cook after many fruitless efforts to slice a broil or two. Ugh! Humbugs and such "pugging" is all understood who have been "thusly done for."

Methinks I discover a mutual sympathy, a similarity of experience and a similar determination to avoid all humbugs, especially with the "Yankee" prefix. My friend, "FINLEY'S DASHER" is NO HUMBUG—not a bit of it, sir. 'Tis a "Dasher" invented and patented by a Southern man, and made in the South for the Southern people. The "Dasher" is open to competition, and for "common sense" every day practical use and household economy, we say to Yankee or anybody else, BEAT IT IF YOU CAN.

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TUESDAY'S NOON DISPATCHES.

The Alabama Constitutional Convention.

The Constitutional Convention of Florida.

Opposition to Reconstruction in Georgia.

Sale of Tickets to Dickens' Lectures.

The Body of Maximilian Delivered to Admiral Tegethoff.

MONTGOMERY, November 19.—In the Reconstruction Convention to-day an ordinance passed its third reading appropriating $10,000 to pay officers and members of the Convention, who are to receive eight dollars per diem, and eight dollars mileage for every twenty miles of travel to and from the capital. The Committee on Taxation reported a section to the Constitution, providing that all taxes shall be assessed in proportion to the value of the property; that the Legislature may levy a poll tax of one dollar, fifty cents of which is to be appropriated exclusively to the school fund. Ordered printed. The franchise question was discussed until adjournment.

AUGUSTA, November 18.—Returns from Florida show that the Convention is carried by a decided majority of registered voters. Nearly all the blacks voted, and but few whites. A large number of negroes were elected to the Convention. In Lion three out of four delegates are negroes.

The Conservative press of Georgia advocate the meeting of a convention at Macon, in December, for the purpose of organizing a party in opposition to reconstruction under the military bills, and with a view to defeat the constitution to be submitted. Neither time or place for holding the reconstruction convention has yet been appointed.

BOSTON, November 19.—The sales of tickets to Dickens' course of lectures, to-day, caused no little sensation. At sunrise the crowd began to gather, and a strong police force was required to enforce fair play among the eager applicants. Nearly all the tickets for the course (about 8,000) were sold, and hundreds were disappointed in not being able to secure any. But few tickets fell into the hands of speculators, who offer them at twenty dollars each.

HAVANA, November 18.—The French steamer Panama, from Vera Cruz, has arrived here. She brings as passengers, M. Magnus, late Prussian Minister to Mexico; Queredo, of the Bolivian Government; M. Elvipe, French Minister; all accredited to the late Imperial Government. Prince Salm Salm is also a passenger, all on their way to Europe. The body of Maximilian had been delivered to Admiral Tegethoff. It had become badly decomposed. The body is expected to arrive at Vera Cruz about the end of the month. Many resident physicians deny the existence of cholera in this city. A tremendous hurricane occurred in St. Domingo on the 30th ultimo, which caused heavy loss of life and great destruction of property.

WASHINGTON, November 19.—Attorney General Stanbery has published a card denying that he is the author of an article affirming the illegality of the session of Congress. The article was signed with his initials, hence the mistake.

CHARLESTON, November 19.—It is expected that a new State tax bill will be shortly issued by General Canby. Merchants have requested him to lower the taxes.

ALABAMA ITEMS.

Two white men from Barbour county were brought to Montgomery, Thursday, charged with killing a negro.

In Bullock county Thomas Ramsay, indicted for the murder of H. H. Hicks in 1864, was acquitted.

At the Pickett Springs Park races Wednesday, Maxey's "Iredell," by "Jack Gamble," distanced Hinkle's "Red Eye," by "Red Eye," in the three mile heats.

The Gospel, according to John Hardy, an Alabama Radical, is "we know that we have passed from death unto life because we voted for negro suffrage."

The prospectus of the Marion *News*, neutral in politics and religion, by E. L. Wooten, editor and proprietor, is published in the Marion *Commonwealth*.

A man, supposed, from papers found on his person, to be named Harrison, and from the neighborhood of Auburn, was found dead in the street at Greenville on Tuesday.

The Selma *Messenger* says that corn is now cheaper in the heart of the South than in the Western marts. It may be had a few miles from Selma at sixty to seventy-five cents in the ear.

Rev. J. L. M. Curry, LL. D., President of Howard College, Marion, Alabama, has declined the call to one of the Baptist churches in Norfolk, and has been elected Professor of History and English Literature in Richmond College, Virginia.

The Selma *Times* learns that as some negroes the other day were passing near Beech Creek, one remarked, "This is the place where so many men have been murdered," and jestingly began to fire his revolver, when a charge, going off prematurely, killed one of his companions.

The Byron Betts murder case, at Huntsville, still occupies the time of the Circuit Court. Betts shot another colored man last spring; he was then killed by others, who are now on trial. Messrs. W. M. Lowe, and R. C. Brickell prosecuting, and Messrs. George A. Gordon and Nicholas Davis defending. The legal discussions on points of law in the case are very able.

MISSISSIPPI ITEMS.

Judge Hill, of the United States District Court, has granted a writ of habeas corpus for Mr. McCardle.

Major McCardle, the editor of the Vicksburg *Times*, is confined in an unventilated cell, seven feet by four.

Some two weeks ago, near Kosciusko, an altercation arose between Sam Clark and his brother-in-law, T. J. McMichael, which resulted in the former being fatally shot.

Mr. Irvin was murdered by a negro last Saturday at his plantation, near Utica. The murderer crossed into Warren county, where Mr. Whittaker attempted to arrest him, and on his refusal to surrender, shot him mortally.

Douglas Neil, paymaster of the Vicksburg and Meridian railroad, died of yellow fever at Vicksburg last Sunday, aged twenty-eight. Previous to the war he edited a paper at Gallatin, and during the war was a lieutenant of engineers.

A negro, a former slave of Jefferson Davis, has been, it is said, made a Mississippi justice of the peace. Since his blushing honors were thrust upon him he has had a quarrel with a white man named Law, whom he knocked down. This is called the Radical way in which a negro justice "lays down the *law*" in Mississippi.

Recent Weddings in New York City.

Decidedly one of the most beautiful brides of the season was Miss Mary H. James, who was married at Calvary Church, on Thursday last, October 31st, in the presence of a large and aristocratic assembly, to Mr. Alfred Grymes. The hour fixed for the ceremony was twelve o'clock, noon, but nearly an hour before that time the whole of the large church, with the exception of a few pews on either side of the middle aisle set apart for the family and relatives, was crowded, and late comers found it impossible to get even a view of the altar. About twenty minutes past twelve the melodious notes of the organ announced the wedding party at hand, and the appearance of the church at this period was particularly fine. Mrs. Grymes, *nee* James, is a magnificent looking woman, and has been a great belle for several years. As a bride she appeared more beautiful than ever, attired in a dress of rich white corded silk, trimmed elaborately with white satin and point lace, and made with a very long train—probably three yards in length. The corsage was cut, according to the Parisian style, exceedingly low, and made with the band sleeve, which displayed a most beautiful neck and faultless arm. There were no bridesmaids, the bride being attended at the altar by her intimate friend, Mrs. Church, *nee* Kitty McKim, who was dressed in a pink and white striped silk, trimmed with lace, and worn over an underskirt of pink silk. The groom was dressed in a double breasted frock coat and light trousers and held his hat in his hand during the entire ceremony. The style of being married in a frock coat, we learn, is the latest English fashion, and indeed we think a groom always appears better in a fine walking suit, than in the doleful black so customary at weddings. At the conclusion of the wedding ceremony, the invited guests assembled at the residence of Mrs. August Belmont, 109 Fifth avenue, who gave the wedding breakfast, which was a most magnificent affair. The entire house was thrown open, and was dressed with flowers, and in the evening the picture gallery, conservatory and music room, were brilliantly illuminated. Heavy, gilded standards, loaded down with rare plants and flowers, were placed in every nook and corner, while a fine orchestra performed during the afternoon and evening. It is almost needless to speak of the sumptuousness of the wedding breakfast, which was served in superb style. Mrs. Belmont was dressed in a rich blue corded silk, trimmed with point lace, and point lace shawl. Her ornaments were pearls of immense size and priceless value. Among the handsomely dressed ladies we noticed Mrs. Cutting in a white, corded silk, Miss Fearing in purple silk, most exquisitely trimmed; Miss Stephenson, Mrs. Tiffany, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Morey, and others whom we have not space to mention. It was, doubtless, the most aristocratic and fashionable wedding that has occurred in New York for many a day.

Dipsomania.

This is the fashionable designation of a very ancient and not particularly aristocratic malady, a thirst for strong drink. A recent number of the London *Queen*, treating of this evil, states that it is spreading to a lamentable degree among the middle and upper classes of English society. Worse still, the same authority asserts that the instances are neither few nor far to seek in which women are found suffering from its effects, and succumbing to its frightful influence. "The evil," continues the *Queen*, "is none the less real in that the habits of intoxication are cultivated secretly. There is still sufficient sense of the shame and degradation attending it to make women desire to hide the practice of this vice; but doctors and nurses, and the families of these drunkards, are only too painfully conscious of the real cause of the singular 'nervous' attacks to which some women are liable."

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CHARLES STOUT, Administrator.

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Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, November 12, 1867—Steiner Brothers, plaintiffs, vs. Mike Goldschmidt and Simon Rosenthal, partners, etc., defendants. Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in the manner required by the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been levied and returned by the proper officer levied, etc., on the property of the defendants, and it appearing to the Court that the said defendants are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, it is therefore ordered, that publication be made in the Memphis Avalanche, requiring said defendants to appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, on or before the second Monday in February next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy. JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk. JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C. AYRES & RANDOLPH, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

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IN accordance with an act of the Legislature of Tennessee passed December 1866, entitled an act "To expedite the distribution of the effects of Banks which have or may make assignments among their creditors," notice is hereby given to the creditors and holders of the notes of the Ocoee Bank to file them with the undersigned at the Ocoee Bank building in Knoxville, Tennessee, between now and the 5th of October, eighteen hundred and sixty nine, and receive certificates therefor, or they will be forever barred from receiving anything in the assets of the Bank. The certificates will be received AT PAR in payment for debts due the Bank, whether presented before or after the 5th of October, 1869.

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LEGAL.

Trust Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed to me on the 26th day of April, 1866, by John Shuman and N. W. Grisbel, to secure a note therein described, the payment of which being in default, and of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, Tennessee, in book 58, part 2, pages 180 and 181, I shall, by virtue of said deed of trust, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the Trust Block, Jefferson street, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee,

On Tuesday, December 10, 1867,

Between the hours of ten and two o'clock p.m., lots one, two and three, in Liddell Subdivision, each lot fronting on McLean avenue and extending back to Bellevue. The title to the property is believed good. The equity of redemption is waived, but I only convey as trustee.

G. H. MONSARRAT, Trustee.

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a trust deed made to me as trustee by Patrick O'Donnel, on the 10th day of October, 1866, properly acknowledged and recorded in the Register's office of the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, in book number 61, part first, pages 123-4, I will, before the Chancery Court Clerk's office,

On the 29th day of November 1867,

Between the hours of ten a.m. and two p.m., proceed to sell to the highest bidder at public sale, for cash, the following described property: A certain lot of land in the city of Memphis, beginning at a stake on the north side of Jefferson street, at its intersection with Orleans avenue; thence northwardly with the east side of Orleans avenue sixty (60) feet to a stake; thence eastwardly and parallel with Jefferson street, thirty three feet, to the southeast corner of J. F. McKinney's lot; thence southwardly with the southwest line of said McKinney's lot thirty (30) feet, to a stake in the north line of Jefferson street; thence westwardly with the north line of Jefferson street thirty-three (33) feet, more or less, to the beginning, being part of country lot No. 482.

This property will be sold by me as trustee, to secure the payment of a note for about six hundred dollars, due by Patrick O'Donnel to Martha J. Elliott.

The title is perfect but I convey only as trustee.

A. J. ELLIOTT, Trustee.

County Court of Shelby County, State of Tennessee—John C. Reynolds et al. vs. R. J. Harper, wife et al. Petition for Partition of Lands, November term, 1867.

IT appearing from the petition filed in this cause and proven to, Lucil R. Harper and wife, Nancy Jane, James Reynolds and George Reynolds, defendants, are not residents of the State of Tennessee, but residents of the State of Texas; it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made to them, four weeks, in the Memphis Avalanche, citing them to appear on the first Monday of December, 1867, at the Court House in the city of Memphis, at the December term thereof, to plead, answer or demur to said petition, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and heard ex parte.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.

FINLAY & KELLER, Solicitors for petitioners.

No. 1385—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—William Clare vs. E. B. Granger.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant, E. B. Granger, is a citizen of the State of Indiana, and a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, it is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in January, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. W. MESSICK, Sol. for Complainant.

No. 1720—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—W. S. Bruce et al. vs. Henry Ames et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Henry Ames and Edgar Ames, firm of Henry Ames & Co., are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, it is therefore ordered that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the first Monday in December, 1867, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. GANTT & WADDELL, Sols. for Complainants.

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by P. G. Meath, on the 20th of October, 1866, and duly registered in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 59, part 1, pages 266, 267 and 268, I will, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of NOVEMBER, 1867, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., on the premises, sell, at public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real and personal property, to-wit: That tract of land lying and being in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, about four miles from Memphis, on the Pigeon Roost road, containing about one hundred and twenty-two acres, beginning on the south side of the Pigeon Roost road at its intersection with Otey avenue, thence with said avenue to a stake on the corner of Owen's avenue, thence with said avenue to Walker's avenue, thence with said avenue to Otey's avenue, thence with said avenue to the beginning; also the furniture bought by said Meath from P. C. Bethel, said tract of land is the country place formerly occupied by said Bethel, having on it one of good dwelling, outhouses, cisterns, orchards, etc., etc. Said deed of trust was executed to secure to said Bethel the payment of forty-seven thousand and forty dollars, being part of the purchase money thereof, and its said furniture. Title perfect, and redemption waived.

S. P. WALKER, JR., Trustee.

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a trust deed to me executed by John H. Waggoner on the 1st day of April, 1867, and duly recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, Tenn., in book No. 60, part 3, pages 36, 37 and 38, I will,

On Friday, the 29th day of November, 1867,

Between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., on the premises, sell at public sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, namely: Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 15, in subdivision C, in the partition of the estate of A. B. Carr, at a stake in the Pigeon Roost road, north 15 degrees, east 54 links from a poplar marked C, and thence south 87 chains 38 links to a stake south 89 degrees west (415) links from a poplar marked R; thence north 5½ degrees west 7 chains to links to P. Betts' arches line; thence north 80 chains 85 links to the Pigeon Roost road; thence south 87 degrees east with said road 7 chains 78 links to the beginning, containing about fourteen acres, said tract of land is the place lately owned by Samuel Mansfield and by him sold to H. A. Montgomery having an elegant dwelling, outhouses, etc., etc., and is one of the finest places in the State. The said deed of trust was executed to secure the payment of the deferred purchase money, amounting to twenty-five thousand five hundred and sixty-one dollars, $25,561, equity of redemption waived. Possession given on the day of sale. Terms complied with.

JOHN JOHNSON, Trustee.

To facilitate the sale of the above property, I will at the same time sell at a bargain the household furniture, etc., etc., and will take pleasure in showing property to those desiring to purchase, and guaranteeing title to said premises.

H. A. MONTGOMERY.

No. 1249—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Cornelius Spengle vs. C. M. Hill and Thomas H. Allen, executors, etc., et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant Lewis R. Fremson, upon inquiry, cannot be found at his usual place of abode in the State of Tennessee so as to be served with process, and that he has gone beyond the limits of said State, now attending school at Lexington, in the State of Virginia, and it further appearing in the return herein that the defendants Ira M. Hill, Jr., and Thomas Hill cannot be found in Shelby county, so as to personally serve process, it is therefore ordered that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the first Monday in December, 1867, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. WRIGHT & MCKISSICK, Sols. for Complainant.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, October 8, 1867—Lamb & Quinlan, Plaintiffs, vs. E. E. Jenkins, Defendant. Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in the manner required by the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied, etc., on the property of the defendant E. E. Jenkins, it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in February next, and defend this suit, or the same will be proceeded with as to him and attachment to be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Daily Avalanche.

JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.

A copy. JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C. MALLORY, YOUNG & ANDERSON, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Sheriff's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of two (2) fieri facias from the Shelby County Circuit Court of Tennessee, Pinner Miller vs. John L. Taylor et al., late Taylor, McEwen & Biew; and John A. Guinn vs Taylor, McEwen & Biew; and also, by virtue of two (2) venditioni exponas issued from the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Shelby county, for payment of State and county license, State of Tennessee vs. John L. Taylor, and State of Tennessee vs. Taylor, McEwen & Biew, I will,

On the 20th day of November, 1867,

sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the entire stock of dry goods, boots, shoes, etc., between the hours of ten o'clock a.m. and four o'clock p.m., in the storehouse, No. 322 Main street, lately occupied by Taylor, McEwen & Biew; the above described property levied on as the property of the said defendants to satisfy the claims before mentioned, together with interest, costs, commissions, etc., on which certificate of the sufficient value to satisfy said claims. Sale to continue from day to day until all is completed.

P. M. WINTERS, Sheriff of Shelby county.

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The Am't of Capital Stock paid up is 95,350

ASSETS.

Stock Bonds, due on sixty days' call	[illegible]
Cash on hand in office and bank	[illegible]
Loans on Stock and other Personal Security	[illegible]
Loans secured by first liens on real estate, principally in city and county of St. Louis	[illegible]
Loans on Policies in force, six per cent. interest	[illegible]
Office Furniture, Iron Safes, etc., Home office and agencies	[illegible]
Revenue Stamps on hand	[illegible]
Tennessee State Bonds	[illegible]
Coupons on same	[illegible]
Due from Agents	[illegible]
Estimate for earned interest, due and not due	[illegible]
Estimate for Premiums due on Policies reported in force—in transit and in hands of Agents	[illegible]
Estimate for deferred renewal Premiums due on Policies, reported in force in hands of Agents and in transits	[illegible]
Total assets	$1,800,451 92

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$100,000 00
Present value six per cent. unredeemed Dividends, due 1867, 1868, 1869, 1870	[illegible]
Estimated interest to redeem Bonds and Notes to present six per cent value	[illegible]
Losses admitted	[illegible]
Losses reported not yet admitted	[illegible]
Total liabilities except policies in force	[illegible]
Estimated surplus reserve for reinsurance of Policies in force and for contingencies	[illegible]

AMOUNT AT RISK, $24,786,300 .... $1,800,451 92

NOTE—This not being our period for regular statement this is made up as of date, without waiting [illegible] from Agents.

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GENERAL AGENTS

St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance COMPANY.

Assets October 1, 1867, over $2,250,000

Agency Office, No. 43 Madison street, (Kit Williams Block,) Memphis, Tenn.

Notice to City Voters

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, MEMPHIS, TENN., October 30, 1867.

OFFICES for registering voters for the next Municipal Election will be opened this day, at 10 o'clock a.m., and for the next thirty days, at the following places:

First Ward—R D Baugh, Register, No 4 Jackson street.
Second Ward—Wm Chase, Register, No 46 Poplar street.
Third Ward—F J Atwell, Register, No 262 Second street.
Fourth Ward—J B Woodward, Register, No 310 Second street.
Fifth Ward—W L Marsh, Register, No 46 Beale street.
Sixth Ward—James Banks, Register, Waldran Block, Main street.
Seventh Ward—J D Wimberly, Register, Ferguson building, Beale street.
Eighth Ward—Frank Taft.

Attention is called to the following extract from the City Charter, in relation to the above:

The Register shall open books for the registration of all persons entitled by existing laws to vote in the city of Memphis, and who reside in said ward, and every voter in said ward shall, before offering to vote, cause his name to be registered in said books, and shall receive from the Register a certificate of registration, showing the ward in which he resides, and the date and number of his registration on the books of the Register; and no person shall be suffered to vote at any municipal election who shall not have and produce to the Judges of election his certificate as aforesaid; and no voter shall be allowed to vote in any other ward than the one where he resides and is registered.

W. O. LOFLAND, Mayor.

THE EMINENT AND DISTINGUISHED DOCTOR Sir James Clark, Physician to Queen Victoria, and most learned of distinguished physicians of this age, in his treatise on consumption, says: That pulmonary Consumption can be cured, and that the disease, when treated in its early stages, ceases to be no longer a mystery. [illegible] and testimony we now possess proves that this disease must not be trifled with by using all kinds of patent medicines [illegible] Dr. Williams' Pulmonic Balsam of Wild Cherry and Wood Naptha, which has been tested for more than twenty years [illegible] Sold by all respectable druggists throughout the South. Dealers can be supplied at J. B. Wasson & Co.'s wholesale drug house, Memphis, Tenn., to whom all orders must be addressed.

RANKIN, STURGIS & CO.,

Memphis Fruit Preserving House,

FAMILY SUPPLIES, WHOLESALE & RETAIL,

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HENRY NATHAN,

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in

WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS, ETC.

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One door above Main. MEMPHIS, TENN.

NINETY-SIXTH SEMI-ANNUAL EXPOSE,

TOTAL LOSSES PAID, $21,371,972 57.

ÆTNA INSURANCE CO.,

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT.

JULY 1, 1867.

ASSETS—AT MARKET VALUE.

Cash on hand and in Bank	[illegible]
Real Estate	[illegible]
Mortgage Bonds	[illegible]
Bank Stocks	[illegible]
United States, State and City Stock, and other public securities	[illegible]
	[illegible]
Less Liabilities, Claims not due and unadjusted	[illegible]
Net Assets	[illegible]

FIRE AND INLAND NAVIGATION RISKS.

Agencies in all the principal cities and towns in the United States.

Applications for Insurance will be promptly attended to.

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NO. 30 UNION STREET,

Between Second and Third streets.

H. COWPERTHWAIT, Formerly of F. C. Kirk & Co. G. H. CHAPMAN, Late with Blelock & Co.

W. F. BOYLE, of Titus & Co.

COWPERTHWAIT, CHAPMAN & CO.,

BOOKSELLERS,

STATIONERS AND PRINTERS,

279 1-2 Main Street, Memphis, Tenn.

To Property Holders

ALL owners of City Real Estate, and all agents of owners are respectfully requested to leave with the undersigned at the Mayor's office, Memphis, memoranda of any SALES, LEASES, SUB-DIVISIONS, etc., made by them since the last assessment.

JOHN PARK, L. J. DUPRE, JOHN T. TREZEVANT, Assessors.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE AGE

NO material which has ever been discovered has effected greater benefits in the household economy than

McGLUSEY'S MAGIC SOAP.

It is a labor saving invention as well as an invaluable remedy in scurvy, scald head, eruptions of the skin and piles. Dandruff is removed from the head, the teeth whitened and cleansed, plate and jewelry cleaned, stains effectually removed from carpets, furniture, or clothing, and paint, varnish or marble with the greatest facility and without injury to the material. It is a great saving of time and labor in washing clothes. It is the only known soap which will wash flannels without the use of cotton or woolen shrinking. All these important objects can be effected without injury to the skin or the most delicate fabric. It is challenged to produce a soap which possesses so many valuable properties, and which is so innocent and safe. It has become a household necessity in Memphis, and is rapidly spreading throughout the South, and eventually will extend over the Yankee States, North and South America, Europe, Asia, Africa and Oceanica. Manufactured only by C. F. McGLUSEY, Memphis, Tenn., and can be found at any respectable family grocery or drug store. The proprietor is determined that its manufacture shall keep pace with the rapidly extending demand for its use.

New Stock.

ONE Thousand Cases of LEATHER, BOOTS and SHOES received and coming, comprising the best qualities, made principally of Leather, to which we invite the inspection of our old friends and the balance of the public. If you want genuine Leather, Boots and Shoes come and examine our stock.

JOSEPH S. LEVETT & CO., 276 Main street, corner of Union.

Also, a good stock Shoe Findings, Leather, etc. The highest prices paid for Beef Hides.

ISLAND CITY HOTEL,

GALVESTON, TEXAS.

J. F. PIERCE, Manager

VICKSBURG, MISS., October 8, 1867.—In consequence of the prevalence of Yellow Fever in the city of Vicksburg, we feel compelled, by the duty we owe to ourselves, our families and supporters, to postpone the second Preliminary Distribution of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society from the 16th day of October to the 2d of November, 1867.

To give our patrons and the public at a distance the necessary time for renewal of certificates, the Third Preliminary Distribution will be drawn November 30th, and the Grand Scheme December 28th, 1867.

We trust that a kind and indulgent public will both excuse and approve of the short postponement.

Correspondents and persons ordering certificates are requested to direct their communications to the Secretary at Meridian, Miss., to which place our office is temporarily removed. An authorized agent will remain at Vicksburg to attend to any communications or orders for certificates.

W. D. LYLES, President.

ALBERT SANDEL, Secretary.

The drawing of the School Fund for Vicksburg and Jackson will be postponed from October 24th to November 12th, 1867.

J. DOLFINGER, R. C. PFINGST, GEO. ZOELLER

CHINA STORE,

No. 44, North Side Court Square, MEMPHIS, TENN.

J. DOLFINGER & CO.

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

CHINA, GLASS, QUEENSWARE

AND

Bar Room Fixtures, Table Cutlery

Britannia, Silverware, Etc.

HAVING received a new and large assortment of the above, selected with great care for this market, and bought at the lowest CASH prices, we now offer the same to our friends, customers, and the public in general, at lowest possible prices. An examination of our stock is respectfully solicited.

IF YOU WISH TO PUSH DISEASE FROM THE SYSTEM and leave natural conditions, you must use Blood Food Mineral Water.

STILLMAN'S RESTORATIVE.

THE great need of Every Man, Woman and Child.

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A PERFECT Combination of Iron with Blood bases

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KEEP a little with you all the time FOR EMERGENCIES.

STILLMAN'S RESTORATIVE.

Try it at the fountains,
Try it at your home;
Come back from Northern mountains
And leave the drugs alone.
Come to your land of beauty,
Drink the wine of life prepared,
And you will always be on duty
With a thousand blessings shared.

Try what? STILLMAN'S RESTORATIVE.

OWEN SMITH,

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DEALER IN METALLIC CASES AND CASKETS

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Of all kinds.

No. 368 Northeast corner Gayoso and Second Streets, MEMPHIS, Tenn.

All orders for Undertaking promptly attended to.

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AMPLE Storage Room for Merchandise and wares of all kinds, at the GREAT WESTERN PRODUCE DEPOT, No. 5 Promenade street, Elliot Block.

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Desk Room for rent, in a well lighted, comfortable office.

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King's Patent Wrought Iron Tubular Arch Bridges

HAVE been in use throughout the Northern States for the last five years, and are superseding all other kinds for Turnpikes, County Roads and Railroads.

Hundreds have been built and put up, and, without a single exception, have fulfilled every condition, and stood every test required of a good bridge.

Being constructed wholly of Wrought Iron, upon a plan combining in the greatest degree economy, Durability and strength, they cannot fail to recommend themselves to practical men.

The undersigned having acquired the Sole Right to manufacture and put up these bridges in the States of Kentucky, Missouri, and the Southern States, is prepared to furnish them promptly.

Reliable and responsible Agents wanted. Circulars, lithographs and prices sent on application to

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LUNCH from 10 to 12. Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars on sale.

THE [illegible]

By Gallaway, Rh[illegible]

BUSINESS DIRECTOR[Y]

Avalanche Office, in Avalanche Building, 22 J[efferson street]
Apperson & Co., E. M., cotton factors and commission merchants, Bay Front and 8 Jefferson streets.
Atwood & Anderson, commission and forwarding merchants, foot of Jefferson street.
Astor Fire Insurance Company, of New York, corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Busby, Bates & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Cooper Block, Monroe street.
Bagwill & Co., Jo., wholesale whisky and liquor dealers, Bradley Block, near Adams street.
Blelock & Co., booksellers and stationers, 115 Main street.
Bachly, F., manufacturer of gentlemen's boots and shoes, 341 Main street.
Brown & Co., James T., steamboat agents, 12 J[efferson] street.
Cash, J. H., cotton and produce factor, 226 Front street.
Carolina Insurance Company, of Memphis, Tenn., 201 Main street.
Commercial Hotel, D. Bryson, proprietor, corner [illegible]
Craig & Co., R. G., seed store, 379 Main street, in the [illegible] Block.
Cubbins, Gunn & Gosser, planing mill and lumber, 181, 183 and 185 Washington street.
Connell & Eakin, cotton gin and pickery, foot of Market street.
Cash, J. H., cotton and produce factor, 226 Front street.
Cubbins & Gunn, iron founders and machinists, Adams street, near Bayou.
Continental Insurance Company, of New York, corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Cunningham, Wicks & Malone, cotton factors and commission merchants, Lee Block, Union street.
Cayce & Co., M. C., general auctioneers, 302 Main street.
Christian & Co., J. A., storage for cotton and merchandise [illegible]
Davis, A. F., practical house and sign painter, [illegible] street.
Dougherty, Wm., marble works and marble mantels, rooms, 18 Front street, above Market.
Desoto Bank of Memphis, 20 Madison street.
Dickinson & Bro., J. W., cotton factors and commission merchants, 106 Front street.
Dolfinger & Co., J., china, glass and queensware, [illegible] Court Square.
European Assurance Society, office [illegible] Main street.
Emmet Savings Institution, 6 Madison street.
Fowlkes & Steffey, cotton factors and commission merchants, 181 Second street and 48 Washington.
Finnie, Buckham & Chapman, groceries and family supplies, 20 Main street.
Fitzgerald & Co., H., grocers, produce dealers and commission merchants, 226 Front street.
Forster, Neathofer & Co., grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 277 Main street.
Franklin Insurance and Banking Company, corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Green & Co., N. S., dealers in whisky, etc., 252 Front street.
Gay, Alden, McCrea & Co., wholesale grocers and cotton factors, 264 Front street.
Hernando Insurance Company, No. 17 Madison street.
Harmstad, Larry, steamboat agent, No. 1 Jefferson street.
Hill, Strange & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 11 Monroe street.
Hill & Co., John C., cotton and storage warehouse, Front street, near Bayou.
Hunter, Mrs. M. C., millinery establishment, [illegible]
Haller, Fraser & Co., grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 34 Madison street.
Jones, Brown & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 264 Front street.
Jones & Co., G. W., wholesale and retail druggists, [illegible] street.
Jones & Co., J. W. A., cotton factors and general commission merchants, 282 Front street, up stairs.
Johnson & Co., W. J., steamboat agents, Star Wharf, foot of Jefferson street.
Kenny & Porter, real estate brokers and general agents, No 2 Kit Williams Block, corner of Madison and Second.
Keller, Dr. J. M., office Jefferson street, Avalanche Editorial Rooms. Residence at General Hospital.
Kremer, L., millinery, etc., Main street, near Jefferson.
Kennedy, Williams & Russell, cotton factors and commission merchants, 266 Front street.
Knickerbocker Life Insurance Company, of New York, office corner of Jefferson and Front streets.
Lamb & Co., R. W., cotton and storage warehouse, Adams street, near Bayou.
Lacey & McGhee, cotton factors and commission merchants, 222 Front street.
Lane & Co., F., cotton factors and commission merchants, corner of Union and Front streets.
Levett & Co., Joseph S., boot and shoe dealers, corner of Main and Union streets.
Lawrence & Carter, general commission and forwarding merchants, 226 Front street.
Levy & Co., A. S., auctioneers, Second street, near Union and Gayoso.
Linkhauer & Brother, agents, boot and shoemakers, 36½ Second street.
Levy and Miller, general steamboat agents and dealers, 5 Madison street.
Lowenstein, B., staple and fancy dry goods, 242 Main street.
Lowenstein & Brothers, J. H., wholesale and retail dry goods, 242 Main street.
Memphis and Charleston Railroad, Ticket office, Bethel Block, southeast corner Court and Main streets.
Maydwell & Anderson, marble works, 30 Union street.
Moore, Whitfield & Co., cotton factors, storage and general commission merchants, 100 Howard's Row.
Merchants' National Bank, No. 8 Jefferson street.
Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, office Main street, under Commercial Hotel.
Mosby & Devlan, commission merchants, 226 Front street.
McRae & Walker, attorneys at law, Bethel Block.
McComb & Co., sole agents Eagle Cotton Gin, 224 Main street.
Matthews & Bro., [illegible], 281 Main street.
Martin & Bourgeois, cotton factors, commission and forwarding merchants, 13 Union street.
Maydwell & Anderson, marble works, No. 30 Union street, between Second and Third.
Murray & Midgely, merchant tailor, No. 31 Jefferson street, Memphis Tenn.
Miles & Stoddard, auctioneers, 271 Main street.
Menken Brothers, staple and fancy dry goods, 268 Main street.
Memphis and Charleston Railroad Office, corner Main and South Court streets.
McGowan & Co., cotton factors and general commission merchants, 14 Monroe street.
Mitchell, W. Z., dealer in books and stationery, 260 Main street.
Moon, Robert A., cotton factor and commission merchant, 226 Front street.
Mansfield & Higbee, wholesale druggists, 252 and [illegible] Main street.
Mallard, Clements & Co., storage for cotton and merchandise generally, Poplar street, near river.
Memphis and Charleston Railroad, office [illegible] street, corner of Court.
Memphis and Ohio Railroad, office 237½ Main street.
Miller & Leidy, hatters, 280 Main street.
Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company, F[illegible] Vail, Superintendent.
Mack Brothers & Bohm, wholesale and retail dry goods, 241 Main street.
New Memphis Theater, W. C. Thompson, manager, Jefferson street, below Third.
Neely & Co., J. C., cotton factors and commission merchants, 266 Front street.
Nipgen & Reakirt, wholesale and retail druggists, Main street.
Nolan & Lindsay, house and sign painters, glaziers, Jefferson street.
Nathan, Henry, importer and wholesale dealer in liquors, cigars, etc., 23 Jefferson street.
North America Life Insurance Company, of New York, John R. Smith, general agent, 300 Front street.
Partee, McGehee & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Cooper Block, Monroe street.
Power & McGheey, merchant tailors, 230 Second street.
People's Bank of Tennessee, 12 Madison street.
People's Insurance Company, W. B. Greenlaw, President, 20 Madison street.
Passmore & Co., W. H., General Auctioneers, Howard Block, Second street.
Perkins, Livingston & Post, cotton gins, presses, plantation machinery, 356 Main street, Memphis, Tenn.
Patrick & Co., J. M., cotton factors, 284 Front street.
Postoffice, corner of Third and Jefferson streets.
Planters' Insurance Company of Tennessee, [illegible] street.
Price & Treadwell, wholesale grocers, Lee Block, [illegible] street.
Rawlings & Co., J. J., cotton factors and commission merchants, 264 Front street.
Robertson & Carter, cotton factors and commission merchants, 13 Union street.
Robinson & Co., Wm. A., founders and machinists, opposite Gayoso House.
Robeson, Sneed & Co., wholesale clothing, 280 Main [street].
Ruffin, Flancy & Co., cotton factors, 15 Union street.
Robbins, E., & Bradley, hardware merchants, [illegible] street, Adams Block, Memphis, Tenn.
Rozier, Trezevant & Co., Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers, Ayres Block, Second street.
Stewart, W. L., cotton and commission merchant, Bank alley.
Schabel & Co., J. F., stove dealers, 277 Main street.
Stone, Horace, wholesale boots and shoes, 325 Main [street].
Sullivan, Mrs. Sallie, millinery goods, 227 Main street.
Seessel & Son, A., wholesale and retail dry goods, [illegible] street.
Sample, Mitchell & McCauley, cotton factors and commission merchants, 13 Union street.
Stanley, King & Smith, cotton factors and commission merchants, 272 Front street, up stairs.
St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Otis, agents, office, 43 Madison street.
Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, 342 Second [street].
[S]prouls & McGown, wholesale and retail clothing [illegible]
Swannick & Co., W. T., lumber dealers, foot of [illegible] street.
Smith, Owen, undertaker, 368 northeast corner Gayoso and Second streets.
Toof, S. C., Book and Job Printer, No. 15 West Court [street].
Taylor, Cole & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 12 Monroe street.
Toof, Phillips & Co., cotton factors, grocers and commission merchants, 266 Front street.
Tennessee State Mutual Insurance Company, [illegible], 15 Madison street.
Titus & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Jefferson street.
Tennessee Savings Institution, corner of Court and Main streets.
Tobin, Lyon & Co., cotton factors and grocers, [illegible] street.
Vinson & Donohue, steamboat agents, 254 Front [street], [up] stairs.
Vance & Hatchett, cotton factors and commission merchants, 228 Front street.
Van Brocklin, auctioneer, 38 Madison street.
Van Voast, George W., agent Missouri State Life [Insurance Company], Jefferson street.
Waggener & Co., J. H., merchant tailors and dealers in ready-made clothing, 294 Main street.
Wasson & Co., J. B., wholesale and retail druggists, [318] Main street.
Webb, S. M., & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, Lee Block, Union street.
Worsham, Ed., [illegible], 22 Jefferson street, Av[alanche building].
Worsham House, corner Main and Adams streets, [illegible] Galloway, proprietor.
White, Kerr & Easton, cotton factors, general commission and forwarding merchants, 264 Main street.
Wormeley, Joy & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 266 Front street, below Main.
Williams, J. D., wholesale clothing, 272 Main street.
Williamson, Hill & Co., wholesale grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 228 Front street.
Walt & Co. Martin, wholesale grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 272 Front street.